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Wage law brings pay increases to 4 million

The nation's new minimum wage law took effect Wednesday, bringing immediate pay raises to more than four million of the country's lowest- paid workers, including some 88,000 farmworkers and 1.5 million domestic service workers.

The new Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) amendments, signed into law by President Richard Nixon April 8, added $1.9 billion a year to the pay of low-income workers and raised to nearly 56 million the total number of workers covered under the act.

About 88,000 farmworkers covered by the old $1.30 minimum wage must now be paid at least $1.60 an hour, as of Wednesday. Other increases required under the act will be $1.80, beginning Jan. 1, 1975; $2, beginning Jan 1, 1976; $2.20, beginning Jan. 1, 1977; and $2.30, beginning, Jan. 1, 1978. Overtime provisions do not apply to this group.

More than 1.5 million domestic service workers have gained first- time minimum wage coverage under the new law.

Workers in this category are classified as those who work in and about private homes, including cooks, housekeepers, butlers, valets, chauffeurs, gardeners, handymen and other workers of this type.

Babysitters, for whom domestic service is a casual form of employment, are not covered under the new law, nor are people classified as companions for elderly or handicapped persons.

The minimum wage for domestic workers covered under the act increased to $1.90 Wednesday and will be raised to $2 an hour Jan. 1, 1975, $2.20 on Jan. 1, 1976, and $2.30 on Jan. 1, 1977.

Domestic workers are among the 2,848,000 nonfarm workers brought under the act in 1967 or later who will be increased by the above rate schedule.

Other employment categories subject to the above rates, other than domestic service workers, include:

Laundry and dry cleaning establishments; construction enterprises with gross annual business of less than $350,000; hospitals, nursing homes, preschool centers, schools and colleges (both public and private) and federal, state, local and interstate governments and agencies; and other enterprises with annual gross sales or business of at least $250,000 (such as hotels, motels and restaurants).

Under the new amendments, nearly 1.4 million nonfarm workers, who were covered by federal minimum wage laws prior to Feb. 1, 1967, will receive the following wage increases: $2 an hour, beginning Wednesday, $2.10 an hour on Jan. 1, 1975, and $2.30 an hour on Jan. 1, 1976.

Employment categories, for which this rate schedule applies, include:

Employes individually engaged in or producing goods for interstate commerce; retail or service enterprises with annual gross sales of at least $1 million and a $250,000 annual inflow of interstate goods; local transit enterprises with annual gross sales of at least $1 million.

Also, construction enterprises with a gross annual business of at least $350,000; gasoline service station with annual gross sales of at least $250,000; and other establishments with individually covered employes in enterprises with gross sales of at least $1 million.

Other highlights of the amendments include overtime pay provisions for 8.4 million workers not previously covered, first-time minimum wage coverage for more than 1.7 million federal employes and nearly 3.4 million state and local government workers and expansion of the Equal Pay and Age Discrimination in Employment Act to include all Federal, state and local government employes.

The new act also broadens existing provisions allowing employment of students at a subminimum rate to include employment by institutions of higher education and strengthens and tighetns child labor restrictions with fines of up to $1,000 for each violations of child labor provisions.

Special overtime pay provisions were included for policemen and firemen, to

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Diabetes branch to be organized

An organizational meeting to establish a branch of the SeMo Diabetes Association in the Sikeston area is scheduled at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Security Federal Savings and Loan Association community room, 820 N. Main St.

SeMo Diabetes Association is a chapter of Missouri Diabetes Association, Inc. and an affiliate of American Diabetes Association, Inc.

The purpose of the organization is to promote the welfare of people who have diabetes. In order to do this the association carries on several programs, which include education, detection and research. The branch association would work with local people.

Additional information may be obtained by writing to Mrs. Annabelle Merideth, Route Three, Box 67, Sikeston, Mo., 63801, or phoning 471-8474.

The SeMo Diabetes Association held its first meeting March 17 at Missouri Delta Community Hospital. The main business was to accept the bylaws of the American Diabetes Association for chapters and elect officers.

Officers elected were Dr. Bennie Till of Poplar Bluff, president; Dr. T. W. Henderson of Dexter, president- elect; Aubrey VanDover of Poplar Bluff, vice president; Rose Ellen Harper of Dexter, secretary; and Cecil Unger of Jackson, treasurer.

Elected to the board of directors were Dr. Till, Dr. M. M. Fuller of Cape Girardeau and Robert Jones of Mounds, Ill., for three-year terms; Annabelle Merideth of Sikeston, Harold H. Dugger of Cape Girardeau and Becky Hunt of Dexter, two- year terms; and Lillian Clark of Poplar Bluff, Noble Stephens of Dexter and Joe Marsh of Sikeston, one- year terms.

The SeMo Diabetes Association is a voluntary health organization. Membership in the organization is by family membership. Each family is kept informed on current research, patient education and public education.

It was decided to try to establish branch organizations in Poplar Bluff, Dexter, Sikeston and Cape Girardeau to secure the attention of county health units and contact residents in each area.

SeMo Press to meet next week in Cape

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Members of the Southeast Missouri Press Association will gather here for the association's annual meeting May 10 and 11 at Ramada Inn.

Max E. Thompson of Joplin, executive assistant of the Empire District Electric Co., will be the featured speaker May 11 at the 7 p.m. dinner.

The meeting opens May 10 with a buffet followed by entertainment and a social hour.

The association's business sessions are scheduled the morning of May 11, along with election of officers and announcement of the location of next year's meeting.

William Bray of Columbia, director of the Missouri Press Service, will speak during the business session.

Wendell Crow, instructor of journalism at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, Ill., will address the group on newspaper makeup during the meeting.

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Horseshoes anyone?

About once a month, 90-year- old Charlie Stauffer of Charleston drives to Sikeston to match horseshoe pitching skills with 43- year- old Wendell Farley, 516 Wilson St. Stauffer and Farley are nearly matched in everything but age. The games are just about even, with point canceling point and each man often throwing double ringers, sometimes both doubling to cancel all points.

Horseshoe pitching is not the only sport in which Stauffer remains active. He bowls regularly and carries an average of between 135 and 140 pins per game. Recently, he changed from rolling a 15- pound ball to a 10-pounder. He says that makes the game less tiring.

Active at 90

Charlie Stauffer of Charleston, left, and Wendell Farley of Sikeston (top photo) carefully check the lie of a horseshoe to determine points. Ninety-year - old Stauffer (bottom photo) lets go of what will probably be a ringer. (Daily Standard photos)

Miss Dexter contest set

DEXTER— Judging in the annual Miss Dexter contest will begin at 7:30 p.m. May 25 in the high school auditorium, according to Patty Myers, president of the Jaycee Wives. The crowning of Miss Dexter will climax week- long festivities connected with the annual Strawberry Festival which will be observed May 20- 25.

The Dexter Jaycee Wives are sponsoring the event.

Over 125 expected at camporee

ORAN — About 125 to 150 Boy Scouts from the Okeechobee District will gather for the annual spring camporee Friday, Saturday and Sunday on the Durward Dover farm about one and one- half miles northeast of Oran.

Cub Scouts from the district, numbering between 150 and 200, will attend the camporee all day Saturday and boys in the Webelos Den will spend Saturday night at the camp.

Many activities have been planned for scouts attending the camporee. Boy Scouts will check into the campsite between 4:30 and 6:30 p.m. Friday. Following supper and clean- up, Dr. Harley Rutledge of Cape Girardeau will show slides and talk to scouts about unidentified flying objects.

Saturday's activities begin at 7 a.m. with reveille, followed by breakfast. At 9 a.m. scouts will begin working on their field problems.

Work on field problems will continue through the afternoon. Early Saturday evenings scouts will attend a demonstration on arrowhead making.

Parents and guardians of scouts may attend the campfire at 8:30 p.m. Saturday in an effort to gain a better insight into the scouting program.

Sunday activities include morning religious services, a tug of war district championship contest and award presentation at 1:30 p.m., after which the camporee ends.

Saturday activities for Cub Scouts will begin with registration at 9:30 a.m. and include sessions on kite making and flying, Indian dance, nature study, boating and fishing rules and rod and reel use in the morning, followed by organized sports contests in the afternoon. Webelos will work on the outdoorsman, naturalist, forestry and athletic badges in the morning.

The camporee staff includes John Peel of Sikeston, chairman; Ted Phipps and Carl Darnell of Charleston, Durward Dover, Duke Perry and G. W. Robinson of Oran and Roy Nall of Sikeston, staff members; and Mike Euer of East Prairie, campfire chief.

The Rev. Tom Bass of Sikeston is Cub Scout field day chairman.

Name omitted

Incumbent County Collector Tom Marshall is unopposed in his bid for the Democratic Party nomination in the Aug. 6 primary election. His name was inadvertently omitted from a list of candidates for Scott County offices which appeared in Wednesday's edition of The Daily Standard.

Campbell youth seriously hurt

A Campbell youth was seriously injured and three other persons received minor injuires in two area traffic accidents Wednesday, according to the highway patrol.

Charles Sanford, 17, received serious injuries at 8:05 p.m. at the intersection of Highways 62 and 53 in Campbell when the car in which he was riding — driven by Charles Musgrove, 17, of Campbell — was struck in the side.

The accident occurred when a westbound car driven by Omer Wilkes, 62, of Flint, Mich., failed to stop at the intersection and struck the right side of the Musgrove auto as it turned into a private drive. The Musgrove car then struck a post in the driveway.

Wilkes and Musgrove suffered minor injuries and were taken to Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in Kennett, along with Sanford.

Randall Milton Sanders, 17, of Kelso received minor injuries at 7 p.m. on Interstate 55 at the south city limits of Cape Girardeau when his southbound motorcycle skidded on wet pavement, ran off the road and struck a guardrail.

He was taken to St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Mower stolen

A lawn mower was stolen at the Charles Swinney home, 203 Daniel St., between 7:30 p.m. Tuesday and 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, according to report received by the police.

The lawn mower, valued at $30, was taken from a shed.

Quick results

Mrs. Russell Knauer, Route Two, "never saw anything work so fast" as the classified advertising section of The Daily Standard.

In her advertisement, Mrs. Knauer offered free puppies. All seven of the puppies were given away the first evening the ad appeared. She also reported that she had 10 calls about the puppies that first day.

For quick results, use the classified advertising section of The Daily Standard. Telephone 471- 4141 daily from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday until noon, or visit The Daily Standard office at 205 S. New Madrid St.

Nixon given 6 more days

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon's lawyers, fighting a Watergate subpoena, were given six more days today in a move to avoid turning over any more tapes and documents.

U.S. District Judge John J. Sirica set a hearing for May 8 on White House arguments that Nixon should not have to honor a sweeping subpoena from the Watergate special prosecutor which had been due today.

Sirica gave the prosecutor's office and attorneys for seven defendants in the Watergate cover-up trial until 2 p.m. next Monday to file answers to a White House motion that the subpoena for materials covering 64 presidential conversations be quashed. A hearing on all the motions was set for May 8.

James St. Clair, Nixon's chief Watergate-impeachment lawyer, said before filing the motion that the White House already had given up all that Watergate probers need to finish their business.

The confrontation with special prosecutor Leon Jaworski followed close on Nixon's surrender of 1,308 pages of transcript to the House Judiciary Committee for its impeachment inquiry in response to another subpoena.

Hirschowitz seeks judge seat

ORAN--- Louie Hirschowitz, now serving in his fourth year as second district associate judge of the Scott County Court, announces his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for presiding judge of the County Court in the Aug. 6 primary election.

Hirschowitz was elected to the County Court in 1969. Prior to that time he had served two terms as mayor of Oran. He was born and reared in Oran and has been a life- long resident of Scott County.

For 25 years, Hirschowitz has operated a mercantile business in Oran. He also owns a farm with 97 tillable acres.

He is a veteran of World War II, during which he served four and a half years.

Organizations in which he holds membership include the Southeast Missouri Judges Association, Bootheel Regional Planning Commission, Bootheel Law Enforcement Assistance Council, Missouri Association of Counties, which he serves as a director, and is a past president and member of the Scott County Mayors Association.

Louie Hirschowitz

In announcing his candidacy, Hirschowitz said:

"I have always tried my best to be a good citizen and to work hard for my community and our Country...I have always believed in having honest public officials. For that reason, I want all of you to know that 36 years ago, in 1938, I did enter a plea of guilty in New Madrid County to a charge of receiving stolen property. I was 20 years old at the time.

"Three friends and I traveled in my car to a dance in New Madrid County. During the course of the evening someone else stole a suitcase of used clothing and placed it on the floor of the backseat of my car. I was not aware of the theft or that the suitcase was even in my car until we arrived back in Oran and one of the young men removed the suitcase from the backseat of the car.

"I don't know to this day who actually stole the suitcase. However, my attorney advised me that considering all the circumstances I should enter a plea of guilty to the charge and be placed on probation. This I did, and nothing further was ever said to me about the matter."

Hirschowitz said he wanted voters to know of the matter so they will feel free to personally ask him any questions concerning it.

Show-Me-Rental opens

Show- Me Rental Land, 524 W. Murray Lane, specializing in rental of tools and machinery, held a ribbon- cutting ceremony this morning to mark its official grand opening. Participating in the ceremony, from left, are J. F. "Pat" Patterson of Caruthersville, Clem Beal, Doyle Horne, Ned Matthews, Mayor Frank Ferrell, co- owner Bob Patterson, Bob Dyer, Allen Blanton and co- owner Martha Patterson. (Daily Standard photo)

It's inside...

Over 1,500 Girl Scouts will participate in the Cotton Boll Council Round-up this weekend at Spring Valley near Malden. Turn to ... page 5.

Sikeston police department is stressing bike safety during May in observance of American Bike Month. Turn to ... page 9.

The Missouri Tourism Commission has a new pilot program to provide timely travel information statewide. Turn to ... page 16.

Rick Eisenbach leads Sikeston to an 8-1 baseball victory over Charleston. For sports, turn to ... pages 13, 14 and 15.

...and outside

Partly cloudy and mild tonight, low near 60. Partly cloudy and little temperature change on Friday, chance for showers late in the day. High in the mid to upper 70s. Probabilities of rain 30 per cent Friday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Cooler than normal Saturday through Monday. Lows in the 40s and highs in the 60s. Little or no precipitation expected.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 74 and 51 degrees. Rain measured .15 inch.

Sunset today ..... 7:48 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...6:03 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow.4:06 a.m.
Full Moon .....May 6

PROMINENT STARS

Betelgeuse low in west--- 10:06 p.m. Vega high overhead at moonset.

VISIBLE PLANETS

Saturn sets..... 11:22 p.m.
Mars sets..... 11:57 p.m.
Jupiter rises.....3:41 a.m.
Venus low in east--- 4:39 a.m.

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Thursday, May 2 — 1915, Potter Fenwick invents the spring- driven glut creating the first glut on the market.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

It's about time to dig in the garden to find the rake you left there last fall.

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A CHOICE
FOR CONGRESS

Now that Congress is back to work following its Easter recess, we watch with a certain foreboding to see what comes next.

The 435 members of the House and approximately one-third of the 100 Senators are up for reelection in November. For them in particular the temptation will be great to put the critical needs of the nation second to their own political survival, especially at a time when there is every indication that it will be a tough year for incumbents.

It is the American voter today who is in the driver's seat. He has a better chance to make his voice heard now than he has had in many years. We urge other voters to join us in making it clear that those legislators who will have the best chance of being returned to Capital Hill in November are those whose records indicate they have put service to the country ahead of service to themselves.

Issues which urgently require congressional action include the appropriations bills necessary to run the government; basic decisions on the adequacy of defense spending; campaign funding reform; national health insurance; and efforts to close the U. S. energy gap, incuding bills to impose a heavy tax on excess oil profits and a phaseout of the oil depletion allowance.

Some members of Congress have made it clear that they intend to campaign against a sorely weakened President Nixon rather than on the basis of their own contributions toward better government. We suggest that such a blatantly political approach is not acceptable.

Regardless of Watergate, there is still a nation out there to be governed. And there is still time in this session for Congress to pass many badly needed pieces of legislation. In November, we hope voters take careful note of which legislators did in fact work for their passage.

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NATURE'S WEED-
KILLING WAYS

The use of chemical weed killers on your lawn is sometimes necessary as a last resort, and when it is be sure to follow the label directions carefully. But there are times when nature can do the job for you.

The American Association of Nurserymen points out that maintaining good healthy soil and cutting grass to a proper length can keep crabgrass and other weeds out of the law. For blue grass, cut no lower than two -and- a-half inches. For bermuda or zoysia type lawns, one-half to three- quarters of an inch.

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It now turns out that the notorious "milk lobby" which poured funds into the Nixon re-election campaign was "bipartisan" although the TV news commentators haven't given this phase equal coverage. Indeed, the Associated Milk Producers, Inc., gave a total of $126,000 to Hubert Humphrey in his 1968 presidential campaign and $25,000 for mailing lists in Sen. Humphrey's 1972 Maryland and Florida presidential primaries.

Another recipient of the milk lobby was Chairman Wilbur Mills of the powerful House Ways and Means Committee. Mills, whose 1972 drive for the Democratic presidential nomination got nowhere, has been reported by the AMPI that $5,000 in $100 bills were flown in 1971 to Little Rock in an AMPI plane for Mills' use. In addition, the report is said to show $12,500 in contributions for the Arkansas Voter Registration Association, reportedly established by Mills to raise funds for voter education.

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When a man goes visiting, it is to see a place when a woman goes, it is to see people.

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Remember that people do not always agree with all your ideas, or all your acts. While you are enthusiastic, those around you may be disgusted.

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Business methods have changed. In the early days it was customary for people to buy what they needed and pay when they got the money. One day a customer walked into a store and asked what his bill was. "Pay me what is right," said the merchant, "I don't keep no books."

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According to the National Association of Manufacturers, "Congress has been urged by American industry to reform the public expenditure process in order to bring spending under control and achieve fiscal responsibility in the federal government. Legislative spending procedures should provide the time and the means to review the total federal financial position and consider the implications of all the spending and revenue issues Congress should obtain and use information about program effectiveness future cost projections, and revenue and spending forecasts in order to make more rational decisions about which federal programs should be continued or disbanded. Spending priorities should be established to assure sound, economic and productive management of public resources, and to maintain control over present and future spending and taxation."

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Prof. Sam Harbin says we can all take lessons from the baker - he never loafs until after he has made his dough

Huffaker, News & Observer, Raleigh, N.C. (Retnco)

TOMORROW
MAY 3 — FRIDAY

CONSTITUTION DAY or SWIETO TRZECIEGO MAJO. May 3. Poland. Celebrates ratification of Poland's first constitution, 1794.

CONSTITUTION MEMORIAL DAY. May 3. Japan. National holiday.

DAY OF THE HOLY CROSS. May 3. Mexico. Celebrated especially by construction workers.

MAY FELLOWSHIP DAY. May 3. Theme: Explore New Paths. Sponsor: Church Women United, 475 Riverside Dr., New York, N. Y. 10027.

SHENANDOAH APPLE BLOSSOM FESTIVAL. May 3-5. Purpose: Celebration of the arrival of springtime and a new year for the great apple industry of Shenandoah Valley. Parades, historical pageant, band concerts, horse show, celebrities. Sponsor: Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival, Inc., Box 699, Winchester, Va. 22601.

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MORE SENSIBLE
EASTER

Easter was cold and windy, but it was also more sensible this year - from the standpoint of dress.

Remember when everyone thought they had to be wearing a new "Easter Bonnett" or they felt they were way behind their more affluent neighbors?

The present no-hat styles have taken care of that.

But in other dress also there is less emphasis on new Easter outfits, even though many were to be seen Sunday.

More emphasis is being put on the true meaning of Easter - a time to remember the Resurrection and worship, rather than a day for parading new clothing. Perhaps the continuing unpleasant Easter Sundays of the last several years have had something to do with the changing customs, but whatever the cause, it's all to the good.

Paris Appeal

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WHERE IS THE
CLAMOR FOR
NATIONAL HEALTH
INSURANCE?

For at least three years, Sen. Edward Kennedy (D.-Mass.) has been peddling his cradle- to grave health insurance program -- a plan to provide free medical care for everyone without any reliance on the private insurance industry -- but now the Massachusetts lawmaker has made a fast turnabout. Instead of his program of $40 billion in new spending, he has come up with a compromise proposal (costing less than $10 billion) close to the version put fourth by the Administration. Fundamentally, the Nixon measure would force American business to buy health insurance programs for employes in accordance with federal regulations. The governnent would also subsidize insurance for low-income citizens.

The question is, however, why did Kennedy switch? And is there any great demand to have the government intrude into affairs of health, even as deeply as the Nixon proposal would allow? Contrary to the propaganda of a few years ago, it seems as if the public is not very concerned about getting the federal government into the business of providing new health benefits.

Kennedy's decision to change course, as Stuart Auerbach wrote in the Washington Post, was due to a variety of reasons, including the lack of demand for his huge and costly health plan.

Despite massive efforts by Big Labor and cross - country hearings conducted by Sen. Kennedy, the Teddy measure never got off the ground or engendered grass-roots support.

Indeed, reported Auerbach, Kennedy and labor "had waged a valiant effort to drum up grass- roots support for their original bill. It was one of the few projects that had enthusiastic support of all major warring factions of Big Labor -- the UAW, the AFL-CIO and the Teamsters.

"Despite this effort, polls show that Americans are not unduly concerned about health legislation and medical care unless they are sick. Health failed to emerge as a major issue in four surveys taken this year and last year by the Gallup Poll." Furthermore, a Washington Post poll last month revealed that people their medical care.

In the area of health reform, stressed Auerbach, public opinion seems to have contrary to what politicians expected. In the late 1960s, when Teddy was pressing for cradle- to grave coverage, the American citizen was concerned over the rising cost of medical care. But in the 1970s, for numerous reasons, medical prices were not rising so rapidly.

"The fight for the original Kennedy bill," says Auerbach, "really lost momentum during the 1972 presidential election. It had to start all over again in 1973."

In other words, there is no clamoring for any radical alteration of America's health care. Hence, more conservative lawmakers are saying that Congress should not only reject the original Kennedy measure, but the Nixon proposal as well. For both approaches would bring major changes in America's health care system -- and the cost would be unbearable to those who pay.

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Sign in Golf Clubhouse Shower "Do not wash balls with bath towels. Use wire brush."

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"A grandmother," says little Kenneth, "is a nice old lady that sits in a rocking chair in front of the fireplace and keeps your mother from hitting you."

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IN TRIPLICATE. The Senate Select Small Business Subcommittee on Government Regulation recently issued a report detailing problems imposed on the nation's 8½ million small businesses by Federal redtape and paperwork. It estimated the cost of filling out some 6,000 information- gathering forms at between $18 and $50 billion a year.

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A FORMIDABLE
TASK

If civilized society wishes to continue on a rising curve of well-being, all men must be knowledgeable. They must know a great deal about many complex subjects. One of these is energy. The day is long past when the public can live happily in ignorance of what keeps the wheels turning. For this reason, concise information is coming from many sources that tells in ABC language the story of energy and its bearing on our daily lives.

A paper, presented by a major oil company, entitled "The National Energy Position" is typical of the massive educational effort taking place. The paper is a reflection of the petroleum industry's awareness that only an educated public will be fitted to play an intelligent role in resolving problems that threaten future energy supplies -- problems of regulation, taxation, pollution control, exploration incentives and many others. The need to solve these problems is emphasized by a few facts dealing with energy demand as set forth in the oil company's position paper. The United States, for example, with one sixteenth of the world's population consumes one third of the world's energy. We heat and cool more homes, travel more miles and produce more goods than any other nation. Energy cooks our food, lights our way and runs our machines. Energy consumption doubled in the last 20 years. The demand is expected to double again in the 15 years between 1970 and 1985 -- increasing from the equivalent of 31.8 million barrels of crude oil daily to 62 million barrels.

As the position paper says, "This increased demand is not at government dictate. Nor is it determined by industry. Society itself makes the demand and sets the pattern for growth." It is easy to call for an end to growth. That is the path of defeat It is not so easy to instill the knowledge so necessary to solving the problems of growth and the preservation of civilization. The latter, with respect to energy, is the formidable task upon which the petroleum industry has embarked.

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A wealthy Texan ordered his chauffeur to make a U turn in the middle of the business district as he had forgotten something at home and needed it in a hurry.

The chauffeur informed him it was strictly forbidden to make such a turn in that area.

"Then stop the first Cadillac coming in our direction and buy it," the Texan ordered sharply.

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"PUBLIC" MEANS
EVERYONE

Coastal zone management -- and this includes offshore oil resource development -- has become an issue that reaches to the foundation of the American economic and property ownership system. Three out of four Americans live in the states which border on the coastal zone. Forty per cent of U. S. manufacturing plants are located in coastal counties, together fishing takes place in coastal waters. From the standpoint of the recreation industry, the coastal zones are host each year to 30 million Americans who swim, 11 million who fish and 44 million who boat.

But, and here is the issue in coastal zone management as presented by the president of a major oil company: "Up to date, most of the governmental emphasis has been directed toward imposing restrictions rather than creating opportunities -- toward telling the property owner what he cannot do rather than protecting what he can do ... I am convinded that the broadest range of public and private benefits can be obtained through a regulatory philosophy which encourages creativity and innovation in the use of their lands by individual property owners. We should view the coastal zones not as problems, but as opportunities."

Currently, the emphasis is on sterile prohibition rather than guidance within the framework of common and statutory laws that have protected fundamental rights of individuals and property for centuries. Callously abrogating these rights will serve neither the public interest nor the causyof environmental improvement. Of coastal zone management, the oil company executive concludes: "There should be a balancing of national interests ... When we speak of the 'public interest', we should remember that private property owners are part of that 'public'."

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"We have a new picture window," a housewife told a visitor. "It brings the great outdoors right into our living room."

"We get the same results cheaper,'' the visitor countered, "with our son's muddy feet."

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Cleopatra Was Queen of Denial

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Our Unabashed Dictionary defines confidence as picking up a girl who's already walking home from a ride.

Don't knock procrastination. It saves lots of useless work.

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Speaking of devaluation, whatever became of last summer's snapshots?

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"I saw your 17 - year - old son at the beach yesterday cavorting with a blonde in a bikini."

"What did you expect at his age, a sand pail and a shovel?"

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NEW STUDY LAUNCHED
ON LITTER CONTROL

A comprehensive research program designed to develop a new systems approach to litter control was announced at the 20th Anniversary meeting of Keep America Beautiful, Inc., in New York City.

KAB has contracted with Scientific Resources, of Morristown, N. J., and its Human Resources Institute to design the new research program.

Roger W. Powers, executive vice president of Keep American Beautiful said that, for the first time, "all factors involved in litter prevention will be studied simultaneously and this project will bring together on a coordinated basis community and scientific skills with the force of citizen awareness and action.

"Chief factor to be studied will be the human behavioral aspects of littering," he added. "But the project will also seek answers in the physical and situational areas of collection and disposal, street sweeping and law enforcement practices relating to littering."

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POPULATION
EXPLOSION

A man whose wife had just given birth to triplets burst into the room where the newborn tots were kept. "Get out of here!" shouted the nurse. "You're not sterile!"

"Lady," said the fellow, looking proudly at his offspring. "Your telling me."

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"Now, just look at my suit," a man remarked at a bar. "The wool was grown in Australia, the cloth woven in England, the buttons came from Japan, the thread from Indian, the lining from Italy and the suit was made in Canada, but I bought it in the United States."

"Well," spoke up someone, "what's so all-fired remarkable about that?"

"Just think of all those people making a living," was the response, "out of something I haven't paid for yet!"

H. L. Hunt

FEDERAL LAND CONTROL

A particularly ominous result of the "environment and ecology" crusade has been its use as a convenient excuse for sweeping expansion of federal land use control. It is hard to imagine a more direct assault against the principle of federalism and the division of powers than to give the federal government effective authority over how local lands shall be used.

A major new bill for this purpose, the Land Use Planning Act, was recently approved by the House Interior Committee over the vigorous opposition of two right- side Congressmen, Robert Bauman of Maryland and Steven Symms of Idaho. It provides federal funds to encourage states to draw up a "comprehensive land use planning process" in a manner prescribed by the federal bureaucracy. This process must designate "areas of critical environment concern" in which all development and use will be tightly controlled.

These areas are so loosely defined that they could take in almost any rural region. They include all coastal zones and "significant agricultural and grazing lands."

The Nixon administration wanted to make this bill even tougher, so that it would cut off up to 21 per cent of federal highway and airport development funds to any state declining to join the land use program. Congressman Morris Udall, Interior Committee Chairman and author of the bill, agreed with the administration on this point but could not persuade the majority of the committee to go along with it. He is expected to introduce this punitive provision as a floor amendment. The entire Act should be defeated. Decisions on land use and development should be made by the communities immediately affected. HLH

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Inside White House: Nixon Braintrusters Alert Him To Coming Recession and Heavy Unemployment

WASHINGTON — Some time ago in President Nixon's residential quarters we discussed action to counter a depression. I suggested he move as Britain's Prime Minister Harold Wilson had. Almost wistfully, Dick Nixon replied: "I would but I'm not in the party."

The President meant, of course, that our mutual "friend" Wilson had his Parliament with him while the President didn't. Since then the Congress has become a tougher, more crushing Democratic-labor controlled opposition to him and virtually all his policies.

This thought must have been with him as he chaired a two- hour- and- 20-minute economic strategy parley beginning at 4 p.m. in his Oval Office last Tuesday afternoon.

He peppered his top braintrusters with hard-nosed questions as they put "shocker after shocker" to him. In the words of one of his advisers, "We told him plain."

Yes, there was a chance of a sharp recession later this year.

Yes, there might well be heavy unemployment. Perhaps as much as 6 per cent joblessness.

High interest rates were brutal. They were killing residential housing starts. These are off by more than 800,000 from last year.

The auto industry assembly lines have slowed by about a third of what they were whipping out last year.

Soft goods sales are off; household appliances are off; hard goods, too, are off. Output of construction products is dropping because of the residential "starts" cutback.

There were few bright spots. One was the booming of construction. This is running very high. Huge capital expenditures are going into new facilities.

The President kept the discussion of residential housing going for fully half the time. And with good reason. This hits home. Fewer "starts" mean less purchasing of everything from household appliances to home furnishings and building materials. Not only will there be fewer young couples seeking their own living space – and older folks in those new retirement colonies -- but flaring joblessness in household appliance plants right across the nation.

President Nixon then decided on a special task force to see what could be done to ease credit, lower interest rates and stir up those crucial "housing starts."

The onrush of spreading unemployment appalled the eight or ten men in the room. They knew they'd be clobbered by the labor-Democratic coalition. Dick Nixon knew that the record would show the White House had been pushing for congressional action on the job and jobless fronts. But Congress appeared apathetic on these and uptight on "that other matter."

Congress was thundering -- but not passing any job-making legislation. Nixon is not in "the party."

Further, despite late reports of growing congressional sentiment for some sort of standby wage-and-price controls, which the President had sought, and for which professorial John Dunlop, easily the weightiest braintruster in the room, had fought, it appeared the Congress would give the White House no powers at all.

There was much regret over the imminent failure of Congress to provide controls over the "health industry." Costs are expected to superrocket. There is "no competition" in this field. You pay what they ask. In turn, the medical establishment will begin paying what the unions will be asking. Or in some regions the hospitals will be shut down.

Tax cut? Not now. The President said, "Let's take a good hard look at this later."

There were no real decisions. The President is not in "the party." These decisions will have to come from Congress. The public will have to look at the record.

Bad news for the President isn't news these days. But a consensus of those present has it that he was in "good frame of mind, vigorous and active and up to the minute on the economic problems."

This won't please such critics as the towering Prof. J. Kenneth Galbraith who said the other day that "Nixon is spending 95 per cent of his time worrying about his own survival." Well, that would match the time Congress is spending worrying about cutting short that survival.

At least the President is doing his worrying at home. He doesn't quite have Prof. Galbraith's perspective. After all the 6-foot-8, 65-year-old giant of academe has the advantage of learning all about Americans' working-class problems from his farm in Vermont, the slopes of Aspen, Colo., the cloisters of Cambridge and Oxford, England, and the Swiss mountains. With an assist from the Americans for Democratic Action, all 50 of them

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
Rebozo and the $100,000

WASHINGTON-- The ubiquitous Bebe Rebozo, who mixes martinis and collects cash for President Nixon, has been hard- pressed to explain what he did with $100,000 that he received from billionaire Howard Hughes in 1970.

The money, earmarked for the President, was delivered in two $50,000 consignments directly to the presidential estates at San Clemente and Key Biscayne.

There on presidential property, the cash was relinquished by Hughes emissary Richard Danner to the President's man Bebe.

We uncovered this peculiar transaction in the summer of 1971. But not until two years later did it attract official attention.

Rebozo was prepared with an alibi. He had squirreled the money away in a safe deposit box, where it had gathered dust instead of interest for three years, he averred.

Now his alibi is coming unstitched. We helped with the unraveling in a way that has now taken on special significance.

We learned from a source close to the oval office that Rebozo had not held on to the Hughes money at all but had distributed it to President Nixon's brothers, Donald and Edward, and to the President's secretary, Rose Mary Woods.

But we could not prove, and therefore could not print, the story. Limited to no more than a pencil and a notebook to compel the facts, we decided to turn the information over to someone with a subpoena.

We told what we knew, therefore, to the Senate Watergate Committee. We also suggested the witnesses who should be put under oath, and provided a list of questions that should be asked.

The committee's crack investigator, Terry Lenzner, took over the hunt. His search for evidence led him to attorney, Herbert Kalmbach, who refused to answer questions on the grounds that he had an attorney- client relationship with Rebozo.

But the shrewd Lenzner asked Rebozo whether he had gone to Kalmbach for legal advice on the Hughes $100,000. The tight- lipped Bebe denied he had consulted Kalmbach.

Both Kalmbach and Rebozo were summoned to Capitol Hill and were questioned simultaneously under oath in separate rooms. Again, Kalmbach tried to claim attorney- client privilege.

But Chairman Sam Ervin, D- N.C., noting Rebozo's denial that he had sought Kalmbach's legal advice, ruled against Kalmbach. Threatened with contempt if he didn't testify, the President's attorney acknowledged he had met at the White House with an anguished Rebozo on April 30, 1973.

Rebozo related that the $100,000 Hughes payment was under investigation by the Internal Revenue Service and that he couldn't reveal what he had done with the money, Kalmbach testified. He said Rebozo told him that he had passed out the money to Rose Mary Woods, the Nixon brothers and "others." The President had asked him to seek Kalmbach's advice, Rebozo allegedly said.

Kalmbach advised him to tell the IRS the full story but offered to consult a tax attorney for his expert opinion. Shortly afterward, Kalmbach discussed the case with government attorney Stanley Ebner, taking care not to mention the famous names involved.

We learned about Kalmbach's explosive testimony from Senate sources and immediately sought Rebozo's comments. We reached him on April 1 through an intermediary, whom we had used in the past. We told the intermediary only that an attorney, whom Rebozo had consulted, had money going to the President's secretary and his brothers.

We positively did not mention Kalmbach's name. This is the recollection, too, of the intermediary. Yet we have now learned that Rebozo immediately tried to reach Kalmbach.

The call was returned the next day by Kalmbach's attorney, James O'Connor of Phoenix, who told Rebozo that Kalmbach was under Senate injunction not to discuss the Hughes case with anyone.

Rebozo pleaded desperately that he had an attorney- client relationship with Kalmbach. The chairman had ruled otherwise and had ordered Kalmbach to testify "under penalty of contempt," O'Connor informed Rebozo.

"Oh God," wailed Rebozo. "This is the worst thing that has happened to me."

The President's confidant had good reason for his anguish. He had sworn under oath that he had kept Hughes' $100,000 gift on ice for three years and, therefore, had no need to seek Kalmbach's legal advice.

Yet when he learned through us that an attorney had divulged how the money had been distributed, Rebozo didn't need to be told which attorney. He immediately tried to get hold of Kalmbach.

Senate investigators have also checked with Stanley Ebner, who has confirmed Kalmbach's story.

The implications for President Nixon could be more dangerous than any other Watergate revelation. For if Rebozo distributed $100,000 in Hughes cash to the President's secretary and family, it strains all credulity to suggest that Richard Nixon was told nothing about it by his bosom friend and constant shadow.

Footnote: Rebozo is sticking to his story, nevertheless, that he kept the $100,000 in a safe deposit box. Rose Mary Woods and the Nixon brothers have also denied getting any cash from

4 arrested

Police today announced the arrest of Richardson Copeland, 129 N. West St., for assault and battery; David Ervin Davis, 834 Ruth St., careless and imprudent driving; Gary Dean Irwin of Morehouse, improper registration and peace disturbance; and Linda Garcia of Morehouse, peace distrubance.

Bertrand man fined $35

BENTON — Donald Jean McWhirter of Bertrand received a 30- day suspended jail sentence and was fined $35 Wednesday in Magistrate Court by Judge Lloyd Briggs after pleading guilty to a charge of public intoxication.

After pleading guilty to an April 13 charge of underage possession of intoxicating liquor, Daniel Lee Dement, 18, received a 30- day suspended jail sentence and was ordered to pick up trash on Tywappity Road near Chaffee.

A guilty plea to charges of driving without a license and improper registration brought Pauline Turner of Oran a $15 fine and a six-month suspenced jail sentence under supervised probation.

Larry Edgar Hanner of Bloomfield was fined $75 and given a 30-day suspended jail sentence after pleading guilty to driving with an expired license.

On a charge of nonsupport, Randy Gene Moore was placed on supervised probation for two years and ordered to pay $15 per week for the support of his minor child.

Fined for traffic violations were:

Ronald Steven Gray of Scott City, expired vehicle license, $30; Floyd Bell Jr. of Dorena, speeding and improper registration, $22; Robert Ray Molly of Charleston, failure to cover load, $26.50; Tommy Wayne Shrum of Charleston, driving without lights, $25; Herschel O'Dell Gilpin of Commerce, improper passing, $20.

Robert Mayo of Sikeston, no Missouri registration, $10; Bruce Edward Cockram of Chaffee, prohibited plates, $25; James Grant of Sikeston, failure to exercise care in driving, $5.

Fined onspeeding charges were:

Steven Paul Gentry of Scott City, $15; Starlin Ray Kelly of New Madrid, $11; Ralph Edward Buchanan of Dexter, $13; Robert L. Cradic, $14; Michael Eugene Griffin, $11; Claude Alexander Myracle, $15; Charles Ray Ulmer, $11; Willis Beasley, $17; Cheryl Beil, $13; Johnny Ray Hampton, $15.

Douglas Lee Jones, $19; Leonard Lee Klingensmith, $25; Ulysses Kuykendall, $15; Thomas David Labruray, $15; Donald Moore, $20; Shirley Simmons, $35; Albert Thompson, $15; Mary Wunderlich, $25; Walter Lee Butler, $10.

David Poston Fields, $65; Clinzo Johnson, $15; Gregory Dale Huff, $11; Leon Ray Stilwell, $13; Mary Eugene Tucker, $11; Clifford Crosser, $11; Holmer Lee Eaton, $28; Freddie R. Huffman, $13.

William Earl Smitherman, $15; Eldon E. Snyder, $11; Roger Widner, $18; Warren Edward Watson, $12; Jesse Fredrick Bolen, $11; Murrill Ernest Dickerson, $10; Donald Lee Edwards, $14; James Knox, $14; and Rodney McCoy, $11.

Charges of speeding and possession of a dangerous and deadly weapon against Joseph Anderson of Sikeston were continued until May 8.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of Bennie Greer of Jackson, who failed to appear in court on a charge of driving without a license.

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. (AP) — Penn State's basketball team will have cocaptains next season. They are Kevin Burke of Pittston, Pa., and Randy Meister of Baldwinsville, N.Y. The two juniors helped the Nittany Lions finish the recent season with a 14 and 12 record.

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Equipment stolen

DEXTER — Dr. H. A. Poe reported to the Stoddard County sheriff's department Wednesday that thieves had stolen equipment from his farm on Route T west of Dexter sometime during the last two to three weeks.

Dr. Poe said a 15 - foot flex- type harrow and a middle buster plow for ditching were taken.

PUBLIC NOTICES

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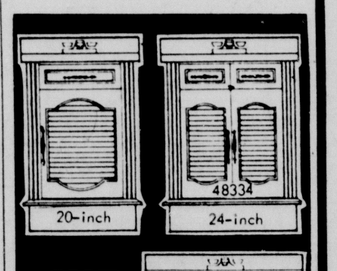

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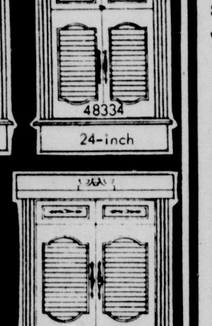

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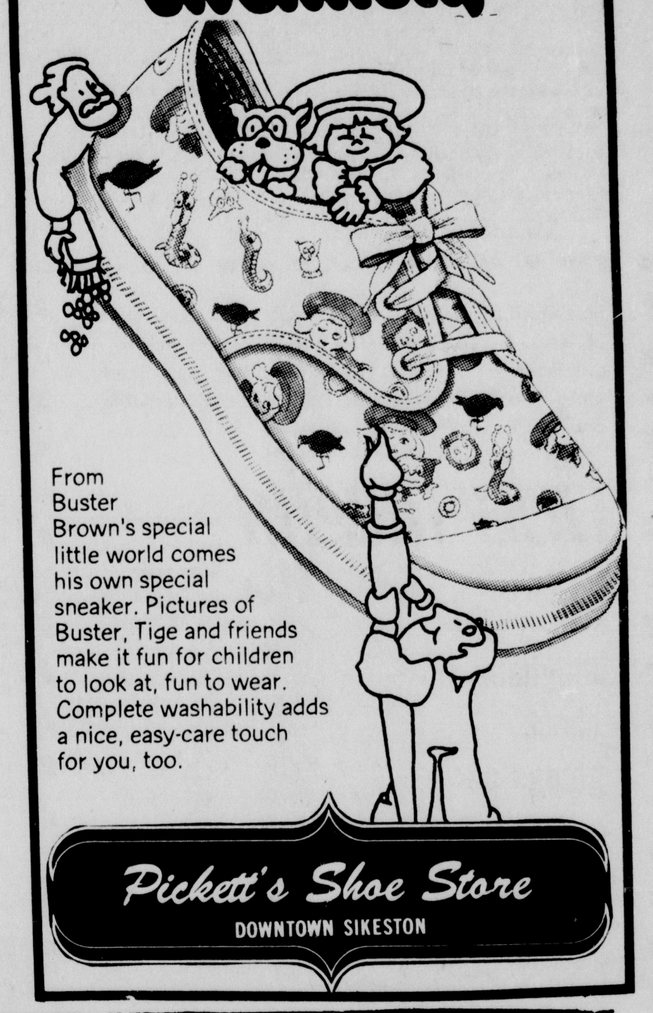

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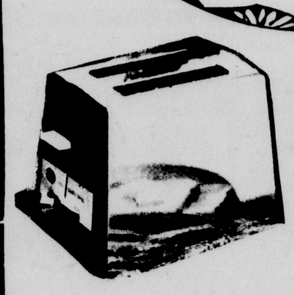

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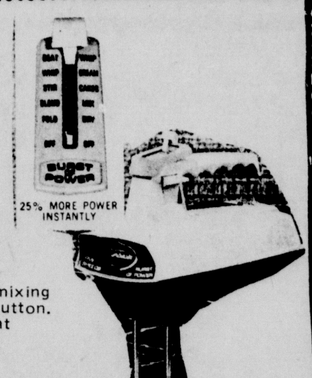

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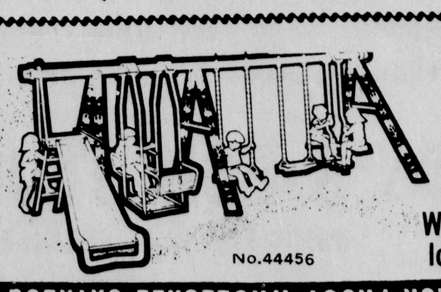

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Women's Page

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Book review

GRAND JURY
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"In GRAND JURY Elizabeth Rose has called upon her skill as a prize- winning newspaper editor and her understanding as a compassionate observer of the human scene to write a compelling story of guilt, innocence, responsibility and prejudice," comments Leland Frederick Cooley, author of California, about GRAND JURY, a first novel by the California journalist, now available in Avon paperback edition.

The author, who served on a Grand Jury for a murder trial, has written a novel which parallels her own experience. In GRAND JURY, 12 people must decide whether the death of a young Mexican at the hands of Officer Ronald Billie Woods is a racist murder by a trigger- happy cop, or the deed of a policeman acting in the line of duty.

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Downtown Sikeston

Living room accessories to be discussed in May

Local extension club leaders will present programs on "Arrangement of Accessories for the Living Room" at their May club meetings. They are attending training meetings this week and through the second week of May to prepare materials for the programs.

Fredericka Plummer of Charleston, area home economist, conducted training sessions last week in the University of Missouri extension center conference room at New Madrid and at Ark-Mo Power Co. in Caruthersville.

At the training sessions, leaders studied guidelines for arranging accessories, then arranged groups of accessories and saw slides of arrangements and how to hang pictures. They discussed how they would present the program to their clubs. Some of the leaders mounted pictures to use at their club meetings.

Training sessions this week will be held in Kennett Tuesday in the Bank of Kennett, Wednesday, in the University of Missouri extension center conference room at Charleston, Friday in the University of Missouri extension center conference room at Benton and next Tuesday in the Farm Bureau building meeting room at Bloomfield.

Leaders from extension homemaker clubs attending in New Madrid County were: Mrs. Bill Depro and Mrs. Nelson Gruen of Matthews, Mrs. Vonrey Mattingly of Conran, Mrs. Wilbert Lueker of Catron, Mrs. William Miller of Lilbourn, Mrs. Clennon Farr of Howardville, Pansy Stafford of Portageville and Mrs. Joe T. White and Gene Ponder of East Prairie.

Also attending were Mrs. Paul Cummins of Risco 4-H Club and Pansy Crosby and Alice Mason Douthet, 4-H youth assistants in New Madrid County.

Leaders attending in Caruthersville were: Mrs. Lois McReynolds of Caruthersville, Mrs. Clyde Sellers and Mrs. Dewey White of Bragg City and Mrs. Annie B. Adkins of Portageville.

Training sessions held

Fredericka Plummer, left, of Charleston, area home economist, conducted a recent training session for leaders of extension homemaker clubs on "Arrangement of Accessories for the Living Room" in the University of Missouri Extension Center conference room in New Madrid. Leaders, from left, included: Mrs. William Miller of Lilbourn, Mrs. Pansy Stafford of Portageville, Mrs. Paul Cummins of Risco, Vonrey Mattingly of Conran and Mrs. Wilbert Lueker of Catron. Other leaders who attended were Mrs. Bill Depro and Mrs. Nelson Gruen of Matthews, Mrs. Clennon Farr of Howardville, Mrs. Joe T. White and Mrs. Gene Ponder of East Prairie and 4- H youth assistants Pansy Crosby of Risco and Alice Mason Douthet of Lilbourn.

Births

PRATT — Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pratt, 1407 E. Malone Ave., are parents of their first child, a son born April 30 at 4:20 p.m. in Missouri Delta Community Hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds two ounces and has been named Mark Joseph.

Grandparents are Mrs. Betty Launius of Morehouse and John E. Launius of Bloomfield and Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Pratt, 1409 E. Malone.

Great- grandmothers are Mrs. C. G. Ziegenhorn, 114 W. Wakefield St., Mrs. E. Y. Launius of Essex and Mrs. Harry Pratt Sr. of Sacramento, Calif.

Caring for your new baby

Infants need to be checked often by doctor

XIII. After the First Weeks— Part 7

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is another in a series of 18 articles prepared by the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare to describe things about normal babies that commonly worry parents and what to do or not to do about them. The articles should answer many questions about what to expect of a new baby and give simple instructions about solving problems that most parents face during their baby's first year of life. This section of the series concerns the development of a child after the first few weeks when he is visibly growing every day, developing a few rudimentary language skills and becoming more mobile. The articles describe various types of "normal" babies and tell why a baby behaves the way it does.

Health Supervision

You will have many questions about your baby that can best be answered by a medically trained person. Your baby should be checked from time to time to discover whether he is growing and developing normally and whether he has any problems which you may not notice, but which a doctor can notice in his examination.

There are certain tests that should be performed for every child, and your baby needs certain "shots" or immunizations to keep him from having certain illnesses. For these reasons your baby should be seen by a doctor (or a suitably trained doctor substitute) several times during his first year of life.

Choosing a Doctor or Clinic

You will want to choose a doctor or clinic whose office is convenient, whom you trust, who is likely to be available by telephone when you want advice and preferably one who can take care of your child when he is well and when he is sick.

Neighbors and friends will often have suggestions. The doctor who delivers your baby and the hospital nurses can be helpful. If you have other children, you will certainly want to use the same doctor for all your children.

Using the "Doctor"

If possible, choose your baby's doctor before the baby is born. Call him, tell him when you expect the baby and that you would like him to visit you and the baby in the hospital and care for him after he is born. Some doctors will suggest a visit before the baby is born to get to know you and to discuss your plans for caring for the new baby.

Be sure to talk to the doctor who examines your baby in the hospital to find out if all is well. Ask questions and get answers!

Especially with a first baby, you will have more questions in your first days after you and the baby come home from the hospital than at any other time. Check first with experienced and trusted friends, but don't hesitate to call the doctor, clinic or hospital.

Most doctors and clinics will schedule the baby's first checkup when he is about one month old, and then plan further visits every four to six weeks for three or four visits and somewhat less frequently in the last six months of the first year.

Your conversation with the "doctor" is the most important part of each visit. The doctor may actually examine the child only three or four times during the first year, but he will always want to know how your baby is growing, how he is learning and developing and whether you have noticed any problems. Write down your questions and observations so you can be sure to remember them.

Keeping Your Own Records

You may have to change doctors, or you may have to get medical care when your doctor is not available. A busy clinic or doctor may lose your child's records. If you keep your own record and take it with you whenever you visit a doctor or clinic, you will probably save time and trouble.

When Doctors Disagree

Don't be surprised if one doctor doesn't give you the same advice as another, or even if they actually disagree with each other or with what you read in these articles.

For many problems, there are many successful treatments, and these articles only mention one. For some other problems such as colds, each doctor may have his own favorite medicine, none of which makes much difference. For still other problems (whether boys should be circumcised, for example), there are real differences of opinion.

When two doctors give you directly conflicting advice, you should ask for an explanation. If the explanation is convincing, fine. If not, you will have to get a third opinion or make up your own mind.

Be sure to keep all your own medical appointments, so that any health problems discovered during pregnancy and delivery can be completely treated. Your baby and your future babies need to have you in the best possible health.

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Dear Ann Landers: I am still boiling over the letter from that jerk who'd rather eat breakfast downtown than have to look at his wife in the morning.

I have a suggestion for him, and for all the other men who think the way he does. (The idiot who wrote said he saw dozens of husbands eating breakfast in coffee shops and cafes, enjoying the morning paper, and they were there for the same reason.)

Gentlemen: If you don't like the way the old girl looks in the morning, hire a housekeeper and a governess for the children. Your wife can then get up when you do, and while you are showering, shaving and dressing, she can get gorgeous and join you at the breakfast table looking like Miss America.

If you can't swing it, keep your mouth shut and settle for what's there.— N. Y. Reader

Dear N. Y. Reader: You are also a writer. Thanks for putting it so well. I loved your letter, and so will millions of other average American "Morning Glories."

Dear Ann Landers: I have a simple question and will be as direct as I can because I need a straight answer. Here it is: In your opinion, when a boy and a girl get into heavy petting is this considered "having sex"?

I hope you won't think I am cheap. I'm a 15- year- old girl who needs information. Please print your answer in the paper. My mother "accidentally" opens my mail and if she got a hold of the answer to this one, I'd die.— Not Dumb, Just Inexperienced

Dear N.D.: In our day (back in the Stone Age, of course) we called it "Roman hands and Russian fingers." The language may have changed somewhat in the last 40 years, but the routine is very much the same.

Manual exploration is not what I would call "having sex" but if a girl allows it, she is bound to cross over the line from exploration to discovery before long. The Landers Law for staying within reasonable limits is: "Four feet on the floor at all times, and all hands on deck."

Dear Ann Landers: That letter from the girl who couldn't please her mother, no matter how hard she tried, could have been written by me 30 years ago.

That kind of mother can't hear a cry for help. She is calling too loudly for help herself. What's more, if she recognizes her daughter as the person who wrote that letter to you, she'll probably beat her down even more.

If the mother can't be gotten to a psychiatrist then the daughter should get a job at least 500 miles away, come home once a year, and stay for five days. Or, she should cut the ties completely and remain sane.— I Cut Them

Dear Cut: I consulted with Dr. George Pollock, a distinguished psychiatrist, and the director of the Chicago Institute of Psychoanalysis. He said: "The question is whether or not removal from an intolerable situation can be of help. Of course it can. However, it is not that simple. The writer suggests a 'parentectomy,' either on a permanent basis or one that lasts 360 days a year. Both the mother and child need help. Perhaps if the child showed some concern for the mother, that support might serve as a bridge to help them both.

"The cutting of ties, though necessary in some cases, is not solutional. One must be aware that the child who cuts ties may have guilt feelings later in life, especially when he or she becomes a parent."

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Cotton Boll Round-Up this weekend

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Of the 1,531 campers registered to attend, 1,289 are scouts and 244 are adults. Members of 54 Junior troops and 22 Cadette troops fill the roster.

Saturday afternoon the homecrafts of pioneer days will be demonstrated through the making of soap, quilts and other 18th and 19th century crafts. The Kennett troops will open the bicentennial celebration in the council with the presentation that evening of a skit entitled "1776".

The program schedule for the weekend:

Friday – 4 to 8 p.m. girls will arrive and set up camp sites; 6 to 8 p.m., a nosebag lunch will be served; 9 p.m., unit campfires and singing; 9:30 p.m., troop leaders meet with unit director; and 11 p.m., taps.

Saturday -- 8 to 11:30 a.m., breakfast, clean- up, visitation, hiking and exploring; 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., lunch and clean- up; 2 to 3 p.m., Cadette demonstrations; 3 to 4 p.m., Junior entertainment; 4:30 p.m., girls meet at main gate for Catholic mass; all other girls, 4:30 to 6 p.m., dinner and clean- up; 7 to 7:30 p.m., all units will report to arena for arena events, girls must sit with their unit, the play, "1776", will be presented; and 10 p.m., taps.

Sunday — 8 to 9:30 a.m., breakfast and clean-up; 9:30 a.m., church line-up and file to church grounds; 10 a.m., "Joyful Noise", interdenominational church services at arena, director will be Miss Shelly Bird of Poplar Bluff; noon, lunch; and 1 p.m. clean up sites and prepare to leave.

Meetings

TUESDAY

Sikeston Civic Club will meet at 12:30 p.m. in the Security Federal Savings and Loan Association community room for a potluck dinner.

NOTICE

Wedding information must be submitted to The Daily Standard within three weeks after the ceremony. Weddings one month old or older will NOT be run.

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Women's Page

Judy Stricklin, Editor 471-1137

Hospital Notes.

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report May 2

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.- Surg.	121	115	6	0
Pediatrics	23	15	0	8
Obstetrics	14	6	0	8
Intensive Care	7	6	0	1
Patients Scheduled For Admission Today:				4

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Released May 1
John Walters, Charleston
Jessie Vannasdale, Holcomb
Edna Allred, Lilbourn
Linda Frohawk, Sikeston
Linda Hadder, Sikeston
Tracy Emory, East Prairie
Donald Faris, Morehouse
Betty McDougal, Sikeston
Clarence Banks, Bertrand
Leo Stroud, Bloomfield
Mildred Weems, East Prairie
Gladys Edwards, Dexter
Myrtle Henson, Portageville
Connie Lovette, Charleston
Betty L. Cowan, Sikeston
Virginia Lett, Sikeston
Tabitha Redd, Sikeston
Leslie Hopper, Oran
Dewight White, East Prairie
Ila Maxine Miller, East Prairie
John Gray, Dexter
Armaretta E. Litton, Dexter
Margaret Turner, Charleston
Mary Ruth Autry, Sikeston
Helen Sullenger, Lilbourn
Billy Williams, Charleston
Mildred Lee, Sikeston
Jimmy W. Duty, Bloomfield
Donna Hulshof, Benton

Total Patients Discharged: 29
Total Patients Admitted: 17
Births: 1

Emergency Dept.
Accident Patients: 5
Medical Patients: 21
Others: 17
Total emer. patients: 43

CHAFFEE GENERAL:
Admitted:
Wanda Bennett, Lowndes
Lillian Hahn, Cape Girardeau
Sharon Lane, Sikeston
Maggie Shelton, Chaffee
Released:
Henry Jackson, Chaffee
Albert Lape, Dutchtown
James McCarthy, Cape Girardeau
Nellie Moore, Chaffee
Norma Parker and baby girl, Chaffee
Vera Patterson, Oran
David Shirrell, Jackson
Rozina Sturgeon, Zalma

DEXTER MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
Mable Edwards, Dexter
John Edwards, Dexter
Released:
Pam Dalton, Sikeston
Ruth Richardson, Catron
Martha Triplett, Malden
Judith Johnson, Qulin
Albert Walden, Parma
Christeen Tibbs, Dexter
Geraldine Mansfield, Dexter
Faye Hillin, Dexter
Unis Watkins, Dexter
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Linda Carpenter, Dexter
Janice Garner, Dexter

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
Arethia Williams, Hayti
Regional Hall, Hayti
Terry Jones, Deering
Stephen Bonee, Portageville
Stella Isbell, Steele
Released:
Shirley Grant, Caruthersville
Lois Driver, Caruthersville
Irene Flippens, Caruthersville
Dock Stone, Caruthersville
Delain Corn, Caruthersville
Albert Urban, Caruthersville
Ricky Murray, Caruthersville
Hugh Owens, Caruthersville
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Pete Townsend, Conran
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Missouri information

The boyhood home of Gen. John "Black Jack" Pershing at Laclede has been preserved for today's visitors, according to the Missouri Tourism Commission. Gen. Pershing was the only American other than George Washington to hold the title "General of the Armies."

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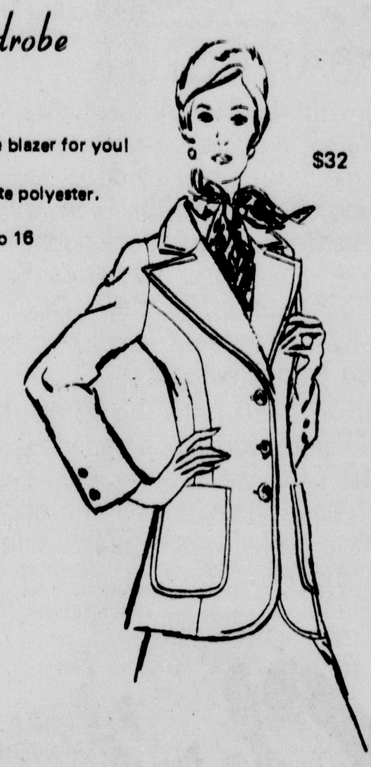

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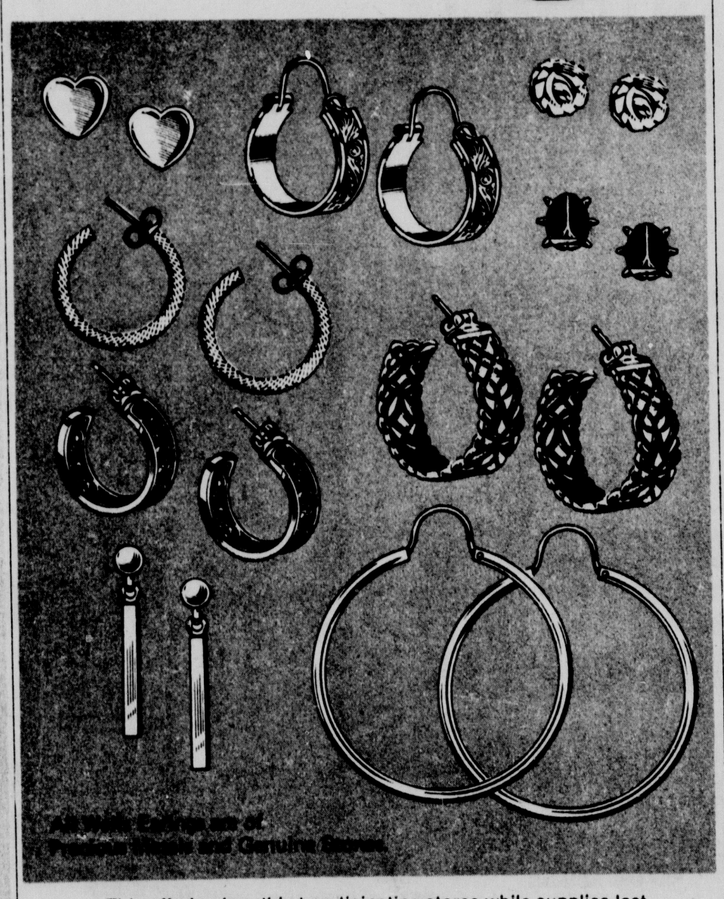

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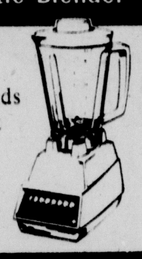

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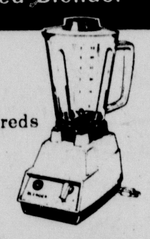

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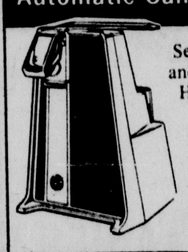

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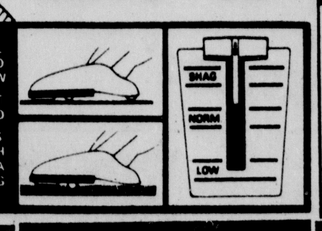

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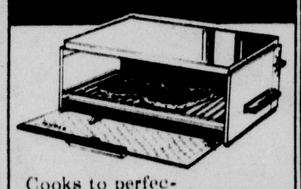

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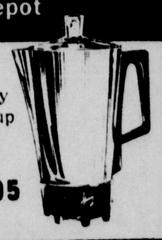

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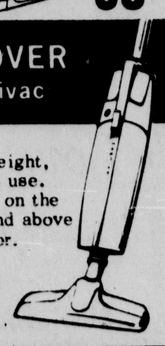

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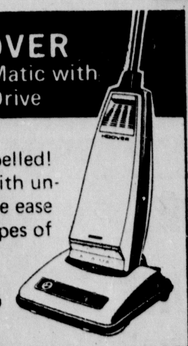

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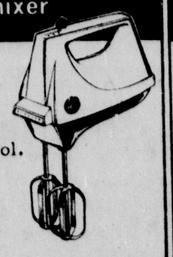

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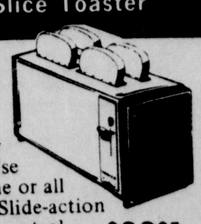

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Risco couples visit Greece, Yugoslavia

By MRS. DON LANDERS
Risco Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Verly McCord and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Buck recently returned from a 10- day guided tour in which they were members of a party of 242 tourists in Dubrovnik, Yugoslavia, and Athens, Greece.

The group learned that most of the people in towns they visited make their living mainly by fishing, vegetable farming and from the huge, old olive trees.

The weather took an unusual turn during their trip, resulting in several days of steady rain, which is abnormal there for this time of year. Tour guides explained that the temperatures rarely are below freezing and stated that snow falls approximately once every 10 years in any substantial amounds.

The couples felt an apparent shyness or air of suspicion toward the tourists, and it seemed that the people of Greece were somewhat friendlier than those they met in Yugoslavia.

During a picnic the group was entertained by native singing and dancing, complete with the usual native costumes of long black dresses and white aprons. They learned that women wearing red caps with white scarves draped over them were married, while women wearing red caps without the scarves were single.

They also observed that the men's hairstyles were comparatively shorter than those in our country, and the women use apparently no teasing or back- combing in their hair- dos. Dresses were all worn well below the knees, and most public employes were dressed in special uniforms.

An interesting notation in the world of business was the fact that men and women in comparable jobs are paid the same wages, but that they discourage both parents from holding jobs away from home as a result of the attitude that one parent should remain at home with the children.

Individuals also are reportedly not allowed to own more than 12 acres of land, with all the country's businesses, markets, etc., being government- operated.

The group was very impressed by the Acropolis, completely built by hand, and the fact that it has stood for so many years.

The couples also visited monasteries built before the time of Christ and old Dobrovnik, which is surrounded by high walls for protection. No vehicles are allowed inside since it has been restored for tourists, who walk along its cobblestone streets.

The fishing village, St. Stefan, was built on a rock in the sea and was surrounded by high walls to protect it from pirates of earlier days.

In Mostar the group walked across a Turkish arched bridge dating back to 1566 and later toured an old Turkish marketplace.

One touring day was spent in Athens, a city of two million, which the guide reported is the poorest city in the world.

Most of the group agreed that the high point of the trip was seeing the Roman ruins, dating back to 500 B.C.

They also agreed with the tour guide, who remarked at the climax of the trip that once you spend some time in a Communist country you can come back home and America's "Watergate" will seem insignificant.

Rising costs force uppercrusts to buy cheaper evening wear

NEW YORK (AP) — The same inflation that is forcing middle- income Americans to switch from steak to casseroles is causing uppercrust consumers to cut back on the luxuries of life — those $3,000 evening dresses, for example.

That's why designer George Halley, who showed his fall collection on Monday, slashed prices drastically, cutting them by 90 per cent at the wholesale level.

Halley's prices used to start at $800 - wholesale: Posh clothes with four- figure price tags that drew widespread publicity.

The expensive dresses just weren't selling well in recent years, said a Halley spokesman.

"Women are not spending that kind of money for clothes — no matter how much they have," the spokesman said.

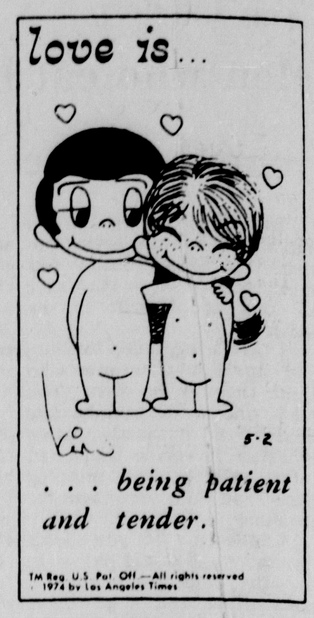
Wholesale prices for the new Halley collection start at $79 and go up to $300. That means retail prices of from $150 to $600.

The designer managed to keep the expensive look that characterized his more costly clothes. A parade of models, led by actress Alexis Smith, displayed a series of dresses and pants with a soft, swingy look. There were lots of autumn colors — rust, dark green and maroon — for day and plenty of sequins for evening. Hemlines hovered either at the knee or several inches above the ankle.

Halley isn't the only designer cutting prices. Several other Seventh Avenue fashion houses have pared their more expensive lines, eliminating some completely, to concentrate on the lower - priced, better-selling models.

It is accomplished basically by cutting back in the fabric, by using less expensive materials, said the Halley spokesman.

Edward Parnes, who took over as president of the organization five months ago, said it's simply a matter of making the dresses more commercial, using mass-manufacturing techniques rather than individual, custom workmanship.



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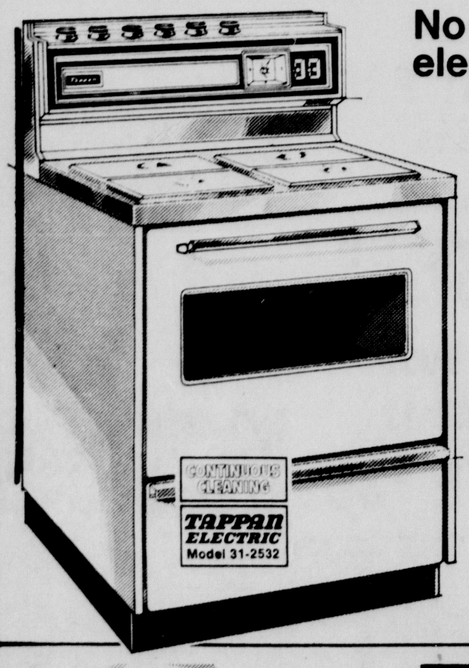

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Malden sets senior baccalaureate, commencement

MALDEN— Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday afternoon, and commencement exercises are scheduled May 9 for the 1974 graduating class of Malden High School.

The class of 108 seniors will include 57 girls and 51 boys. The girls will be represented by 15 graduates who maintained a grade average of S or above and six of the graduating senior boys have maintained the scholastic average.

Honor students of the class are: Sandra Bailey, Marla Brooks, Mary Byrum, Peggy Carr, Brenda Haskins, Sherri Haworth, Pamela Jones, Mary Lanier, Linda McCoin, Debra Moore, Carol Riggs, Jackie Riggs, Brenda Ryan, Dianna Walter, Linda Wilson, Weldon Gray, Mark Gregory, Tim McGraw, Sam Park, Richard Samons and Carl Townsend Jr.

Baccalaureate services will be held at 5 p.m. Sunday in the high school auditorium.

The Rev. Norman Dierking, minister of Grace Lutheran Church, will be the guest speaker, the Rev. Sterling Aubuchon, minister of First United Methodist Church, will give the invocation and the benediction will be offered by the Rev. Cecil Winberry, minister of Lone Oak General Baptist Church.

The MHS honor band will play the processional and the recessional, and the program will include selections by the mixed choir. Keith Luke and Kent Luke will serve as class escorts; and student council members will serve as ushers.

The commencement program will be held at 8 p.m. May 9 in the auditorium.

Otto Green, president of the Malden R- 1 School District board of education, will present diplomas to the graduating seniors; and Tom Park, superintendent of Schools, will present the class for graduation. Awards will be presented by Carl Townsend, high school principal.

The Rev. Richard Davison, minister of First Christian Church, will offer the invocation; and the Rev. Garfery Wilson, minister of Mount Olive Baptist Church, will give the benediction.

The valedictory address will be given by Miss Carol Riggs, valedictorian of the 1974 graduating class; and the salutatory address will be given by Miss Mary Byrum, salutatorian.

The program will include selections by the mixed choir and girl's choir.

Members of the graduating class are:

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Michael Batchelor, Robert Benjamin, Scott Bilderback, Chris Bullard, Charles Cooper, Bruce Cowell, Randy Crawford, George Criglar Jr., Glen Dennis, Ronnie Duck, Norman Eaker, Thomas Elder, Terry Felker, Richard Gardner, Weldon Gray Jr., Mark Gregory, Terry Gromer, Danny Hendrickson, Michael Holloway, Darrell Jones, Harold Jones, Danny Kilgore, Keith Lamar, Terry Lively, Gary McDonald, Timothy McGraw, Donald Miller, James Milligan.

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Court rules in favor of Bell

CHARLESTON — A Circuit Court jury of 10 men and two women ruled in favor of Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., the defendant in a personal damage suit, Wednesday afternoon, concluding a three- day trial presided over by Judge Marshall Craig.

The suit, seeking $300,000 in damages, was brought by Mrs. Patricia Ellen Layton and her husband, Joe Willis Layton of Charleston.

The jury, which heard testimony and depositions from abut 15 witnesses, deliberated an hour and a half before reaching a verdict.

Counsel for Mrs. Layton attempted to prove she had received severe back injuries, which required major surgery, during her employment by the company from 1969 to 1971. The suit charged the injuries were caused by Mrs. Layton being required to use a large, old-type metal desk which was defective and in disrepair.

Opening and closing the heavy drawers in the desks many times a day required exertion of extraordinary force in tugging, pulling and straining, according to the allegations against the company.

Layton sought damages of $25,000 for the injuries to his wife, stating that he has and will continue having to expend substantial sums of money for medical treatment. He also charged that he has been deprived of the services, society, companionship and consortium of his wife since her injuries.

Similar suits have been filed against the company by Mrs. Clemtine Lamb, her husband, Tom Lamb, and Mrs. Linda Els and her husband, Robert Els. The women, also former employes of the telephone company, are charging they received back injuries due to the use of defective desks in the company's office at Charleston.

4-H forum held

Mrs. Gloria Mitchell of Portageville, right, a staff member of the Tri- County Human Development Corporation based at Caruthersville, recently attended the annual 4-H leaders forum at the National 4-H Center in Washington, D. C. With Mrs. Mitchell in front of the Capitol Building is Don Eaton, left, of Wilhelmina and Missouri 10th District Rep. Bill D. Burlison of Cape Girardeau. Mrs. Mitchell, who works with youth of public housing in Portageville and Caruthersville, was the only participant in the national forum from the Bootheel.

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Music dept. to give play

CHARLESTON — The high school music department begins its production of the popular stage musical, "Hello, Dolly", at 7:30 p.m. today in the junior high school auditorium.

The show, directed by choral directory, Stephen Barr, will also be presented Friday and Saturday nights at 7:30.

Tickets may be purchased at the door.

5 treated

Five accident patients were treated Wednesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Treated were: Brenda Newman, 24, Matthews, stepped on nail, puncturing right heel; Jeffrey King, 4, Sikeston, bruised left foot on telephone pole; Rick Box, 16, Sikeston, multiple cuts and scratches to arm and left knee, injured on bicycle; Dawn Romanowski, 13, Charleston, cut left knee on bicycle; and Edith McMullin, 76, Morehouse, cut scalp in car accident.

Each year, 32 U.S. students are chosen to receive Rhodes Scholarships for a minimum of two years of study at Oxford University. The program began April 4, 1902, under the will of Cecil Rhodes, The World Almanac says. Work may be done in any field of study for which Oxford awards a degree. American applicants must be unmarried men, 18 to 24 years of age at the time of application with at least junior standing at a recognized degree-granting college or university.

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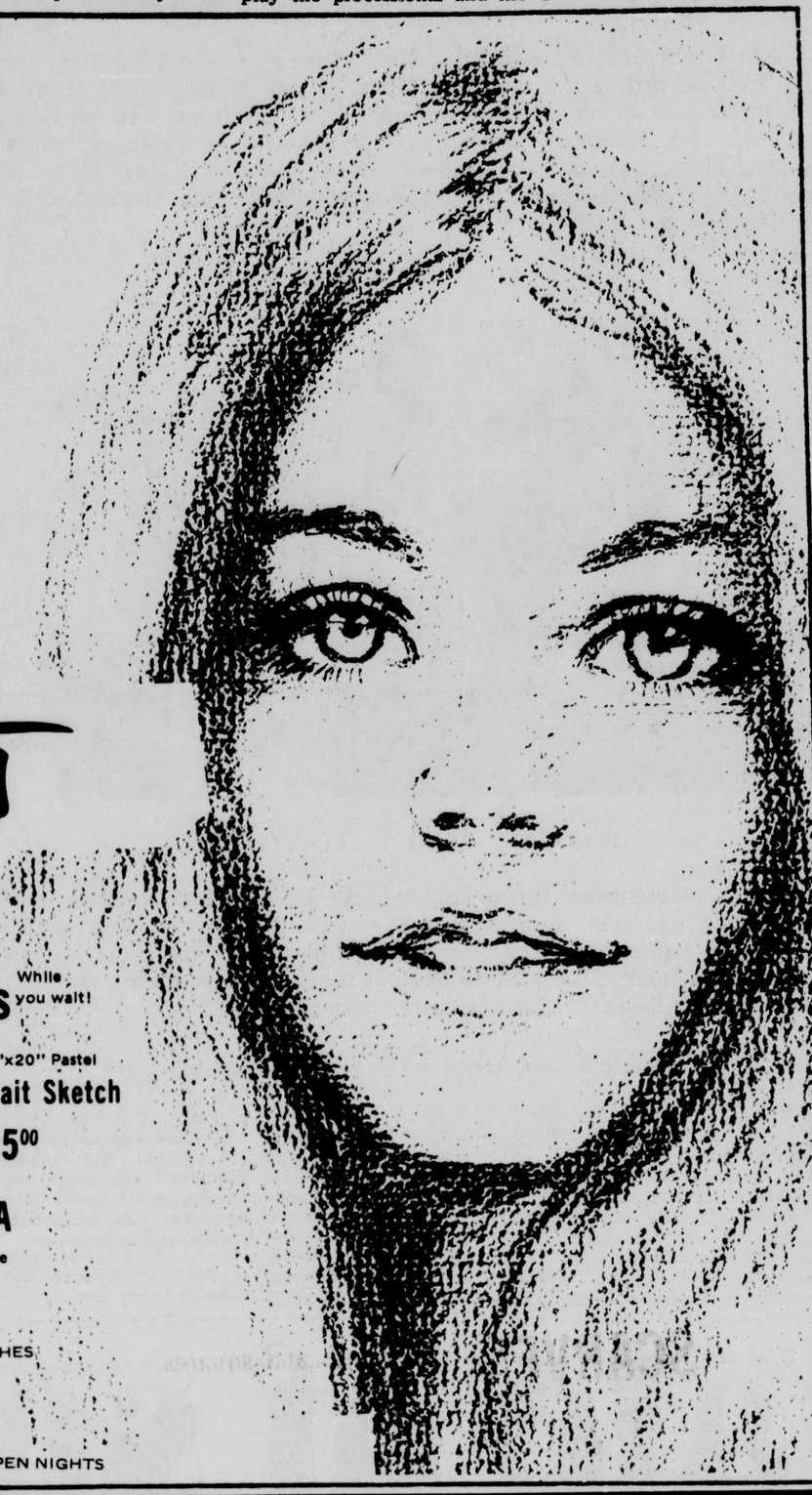

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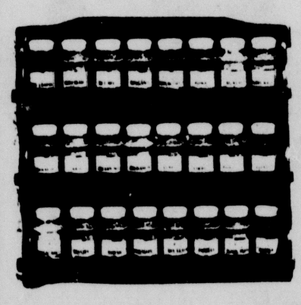

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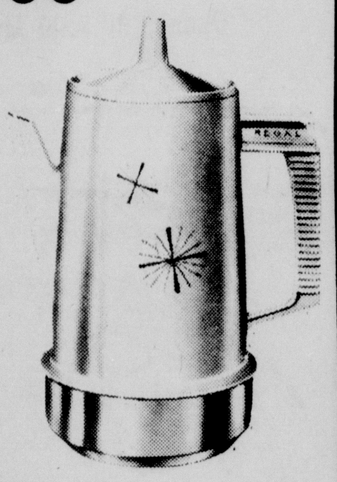

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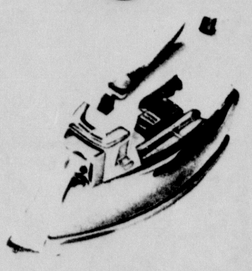

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Senate passes no fault bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate by a 53 to 42 roll call vote Wednesday passed the nofault automobile insurance bill.

Democrats for the bill included: Symington, Missouri.

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Democrats against: Eagleton, Missouri.

Republicans against: Bartlett, Oklahoma; Dole, Kansas.

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Last PTA meeting of year held

Officers for the 1974-75 school year were installed by retiring president John F. Harper Monday night at the last meeting of the school year for the Southeast Elementary School Parent-Teachers Association. Norman Lambert was installed as president; John Woodard, first vice president; Ray Hindman, second vice president; June Freshour, secretary; Yvonne Odum, treasurer; and Anna Boshears, historian and publicity chairman.

Sam Harbin, superintendent of schools, was guest speaker and spoke on the topic, "The Accountability of Schools to the Public" He was introduced by Charles DeWitt.

The school's safety patrol was honored and received certificates of merit from principal Allen Mays.

New bylaws were presented and accepted by the group.

Winners of the room count for having the most parents present were Mrs. Charlotte Johnson's fifth grade class, first place, and Mrs. Debbie Brinkman's fourth grade class, second place.

Robert Miller, director of elementary education, was a special guest.

Aid payments total $226,128

NEW MADRID — New Madrid County welfare payments in April totaled $226,128.21 and, according to figures released by Mrs. Laverne Hadder, the county director, $114,915 of that amount was paid to 917 families receiving aid for 2,311 dependent children for an average check of $125.32 per family.

A total of 789 persons were transferred to the Supplemental Security Income rolls and no longer receive any assistance payments from the state programs. However, these persons remain eligible for medicaid benefits from the state.

State supplemental payments of $20,437 were received by 791 persons, who also received SSI assistance.

State supplemental payments only were received by 213 persons in the amojnt of $11,459.

General relief funds amounting to $17,804 were received by 255 families, consisting of 277 persons, for an average check of $64.27 per person.

Medical assistance went to 23 persons who did not receive a cash check and are eligible for medicaid benefits. Nursing care payments amounting to $2,802 were received by 18 persons.

Hospital and nursing home assistance totaled $57,752.48.

Services were given to 185 children under child welfare supervision. The New Madrid County Court provided $479.37 and state boarding funds expended $479.36 for room and board, clothing, medicine, dental care and incidentals for the children.

Food stamp figures were not available.

In 1511, coffeehouses had to be banned in Mecca, because they were drawing people away from the mosques!

In Belgium, a spoonful of ashes and water was thought to cure consumption.

New PTA officers installed

John F. Harper, left, retiring president of the Southeast Elementary School PTA, installed officers for the 1974-75 school year Monday night at the final PTA meeting of the school year. New officers, from left, are Norman Lambert, president; Ray Hindman, second vice president; June Freshour, secretary; Yvonne Odum, treasurer; and Anna Boshears, historian. Robert Miller, right, director of elementary education, was a special guest. John Woodard, first vice president, was not present for the picture.

Patrol boys honored

Members of Southeast Elementary School's safety patrol, honored Monday night by principal Allen Mays, second from right. From left are Scott Roberts, Billy Dozier, Bill Kastings (wearing glasses), Shawn McClain, Scott McDowell (black shirt), Timmy Massey, Kevin Matton, Marty Nanney (holding sign), Scott Chartrau, Bobby Kindred, Mike Clark and Tommy Monan.

Workmen's comp bill sent to governor

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A bill to increase workmen's compensation benefits in Missouri received overwhelming approval from both houses Tuesday in the final day of the legislative session and was sent to the governor.

The bill was approved in its final form by the House, 141-5, and by the Senate, 29-2.

The Senate bill, sponsored by Democrat Donald Gralike, was revamped in a joint House-Senate conference committee.

The bill increases benefits from $10 to $21 a week for rehabilitation, from $70 to $95 a week for a total disability, and from $65 to $75 a week for partial but permanent disability. The bill requires employers of more than five employes to contribute to compensation programs.

Public employes will be covered in the law.

Hospital workers get pay increase

KENNETT — An average "5 to 6 per cent" pay increase took effect Wednesday for all 230 employes at Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in what the chairman of the hospital's board of trustees said will "balance the effect of the new minimum wage."

John Howell, the chairman, said the pay hikes mean that the hospital's annual pay roll will grow "by about $115,000."

To offset this, he said, rates for wards, as well as private and semiprivate rooms, have been increased $4 per day.

"We think we're getting by cheaper than in some other places I've become familiar with," he said.

However, as to whether additional increases may be anticipated, "we'll just have to wait and see about that," he said.

Howell said that the board's action granting an "across-the-board" increase for hospital employes was stimulated by the raising of the minimum wage from $1.60 to $1.90 an hour.

Scores of employes making $1.60 received what amounts to an 18 per cent wage increase, "although I couldn't tell you exactly how many that would be," he said.

"We broke the others down into hourly wage groups and the raises varied ... but they all fell to within 5 to 6 per cent," Howell said.

The room rate increases raise costs to $50 for private, $46 for semiprivate rooms and $40 for a ward.

"We feel like this compares favorably with surrounding hospitals," he said.

Dunklin County Memorial Wednesday also became without an administrator when Elden Selves, who resigned last month after three years, assumed a similar position at Jefferson County Memorial Hospital at Festus.

"Howell said 20 applicants are being considered for the post, and that the board will likely decide on a successor May 13.

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Police stress bike safety during May

With more than 15 million bicycles sold in the United States last year and even larger sales expected this year, bicycle safety education has never been more important, police Chief Leon Culp says.

May is American Bike Month and police again are stressing bicycle safety.

"The energy crisis, the emphasis on ecology and common sense dictate increase use of the bicycle, not just by kids," Culp said. "We must increase our bicycle safety education in the schools, at home by parents and in cooperation with our local law enforcement and service agencies."

The chief said statistics show bicycles are outselling automobile for the second straight year and streets are becoming more crowded with both cars and bikes.

Culp said bicycle safety education is not just for the youngsters, although a gap in safety education exists between the pedestrian safety exercises in early grades and driver education in high schools.

More and more adults, upset by the energy crisis and rising gasoline prices, are turning to the bicycle as a means of transportation, not only for health and recreation, but for commuting and shopping.

Culp said adults who have gone back to the bicycle need more than a refresher course in driving their bikes.

"They need a long, sensible look at the rules of the road as they pertain to the cyclist," Culp said.

"There is no better time than during American Bike Month to remind citizens that bicycle safety is everyone's job," Culp said. He reminded youngsters and adults that, along with the rules of the roads, there is further need for maintenance of a bike to make sure that it is in safe operating order.

Most experts suggest bikes should have regular maintenance inspections at a local bike shop, but there is no reason why the bike driver can't take simple steps toward preventive maintenance on his own, Culp said.

Handlebars and seats should always be adjusted to fit the bike rider, then tightened. Chains should always be kept lightly oiled and brakes should always be checked before going out on a bicycle, he stated.

Culp added that it is a simple procedure to check tire treads to make sure there are no stones or glass bits lodged there.

Culp recommended that "Rules of the Road", issued by the Bicycle Institute of America, be followed by all cyclists.

The rules include:

Obey all applicable traffic regulation, signs, signals and markings; observe all local ordinances pertaining to bicycle operation; keep right, drive with traffic, not against it. Ride single file.

Watch out for drain grates, soft shoulders and other road surface hazards; watch out for car doors opening or for cars pulling out into traffic.

Don't carry passengers or packages that interfere with your vision or control; never hitch a ride on a truck or other vehicle; be extremely careful at all intersections, particularly when making a left turn; use hand signals to indicate turning or stopping.

Protect yourself at night with the required reflectors and lights; drive a safe bike by having it inspected; ride your bike defensively, and watch out for the other guy.

Webelos receive honors

Eight Webelos of Pack 43 received various awards during a recent meeting at City Park, including, from left, Rusty Beeson, Kevin Nall, Donnie Harper, Brian Williams and Brett Roberts. Also honored were Todd Ledbetter, Kenny Moore and Tommy Alsobrook. Pam Westmoreland is den leader and Thelma Moore is assistant den leader.

Thousands of workers walk off their jobs

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The economy of the St. Louis area was dealt a heavy blow Wednesday, when thousands of workers represented by various unions walked off their jobs in separate contract disputes.

The largest walkout was in the construction field, where 20,000 members of five unions struck the Associated General Contractors, idling about $350 million worth of construction.

Strikes also were launched by about 500 roofers and 160 glass workers at the Owens-Illinois Co., plant in St. Louis.

In addition, 1,300 workers at the Ford Motor Co. Mercury plant were laid off because of a strike at another facility, preventing parts from being delivered to St. Louis.

E.E. Walla, Teamster Local 682 president and spokesman for the five construction unions striking the AGC, predicted the workers would be out from six weeks to all summer.

The Five-Pact Labor Alliance is composed of Teamsters, Carpenters, Cement Masons, Operating Engineers and Laborers unions. The pact's five-year contract with the contractors expired at midnight Tuesday.

Walla said the walkout was forced by management's refusal to guarantee retroactive pay during a proposed extension of the labor contracts while negotiations continued.

Moore earns award

Kenny Moore, center, son of Mrs. Thelma Moore, left, 230 Miller Drive, received the Arrow of Light Award during a den meeting at City Park from Jerry Crismon. The award is the highest a boy can receive before becoming a Boy Scout.

School calendar approved

HOWARDVILLE — The first day of school for students in the New Madrid County R-1 Enlarged School District will be Aug. 19, according to the 1974- 75 school calendar approved by the board of education, and schools will close May 16, 1975 after a total of 174 student attendance days.

Prior to the opening day of school, teacher orientation is scheduled for Aug. 15 and 16, and school will be dismissed for Labor Day on Sept. 2.

Remainder of the announced calendar:

Nov. 7 and 8, state teachers meeting for delegates only; Nov. 8, local teachers meeting; Nov. 28 and 29, Thanksgiving holidays; Dec. 21 through Jan. 5, Christmas holidays, with classes resuming on Jan. 6.

Schools will be dismissed Feb. 17 for Washington's birthday; March 13 and 14, district teachers meeting; and March 28 through April 1, spring break.

Kevin Nall

1 of 3 to get award

Kevin Nall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nall, Route Two, was one of the three Webelo Scouts of Pack 43 who received the Arrow of Light Award April 25 during a pack meeting in City Park. The award is the highest award a boy can receive before becoming a Boy Scout.

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Donnie Harper

Youth receives high award

Donnie Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Harper, 171 Presnell Drive, has received the Arrow of Light Award, the highest award a boy can receive before becoming a Boy Scout. Harper is a member of Webelos of Pack 43.

Lapland knows no fixed boundaries; it extends across arctic Sweden, Norway and Finland into Russia. Archeologists have discovered that Lapps roamed the region as early as A.D. 400, according to the National Geographic Society's book, "Vanishing Peoples of the Earth."

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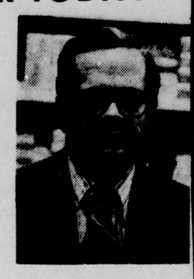

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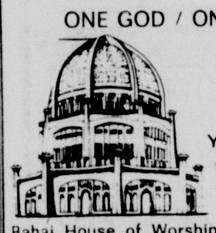

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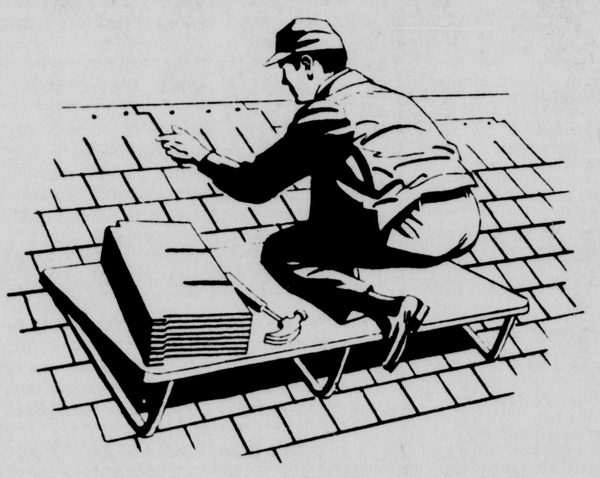

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12. Misc. For Sale

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Carport Sale
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5 Family Carport Sale
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Thurs., Fri. & Sat.
Children's clothing, Misc. Items.

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4 Family Carport Sale
415 Powell (in Miner)
Children clothing, office desk, bicycle, lamps, Many misc. items. Saturday.

6 new trailer tires and 2 axles. B & H Auto Electric, 471-8288

Yard Sale
Sat. May 4 8-5
Corner of Highway 114 & Carrol St. Morehouse

Carport Sale
909 Crescent
Few baby items, Maternity Clothes, Misc. Items.
Sat. May 4, 9-5

For Sale — 7 H.P. Riding mower, 73 Model. Call 471-6397

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Friday & Saturday.
808 Ruth

Yard Sale
Saturday
520 Murray Lane 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For Sale — Hotpoint air conditioner, 18,000 B.T.U. Call 471-5304

For Sale — Left hand golf clubs. Complete set. Excellent condition. Call 683-6363 after 6 p.m.

3 Family Garage Sale
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Sat. May 4 8-5
Clothing, books, small appliances.

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13. Real Estate

For Sale by owner — 2 bedroom house, large kitchen, living room, fully carpeted, large garden area, Utility room. 471-9207, 471-9157

For Sale — Three bedroom brick, bath and half, central air, choice location. Call 471-5939 after 4:00 p.m.

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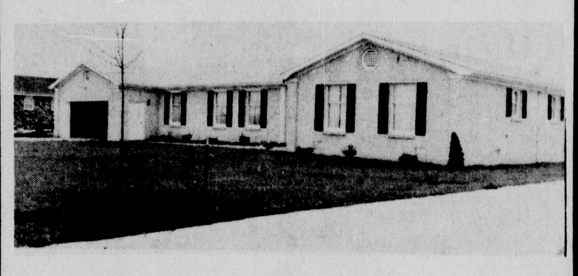

LOOKING FOR QUALITY?
Beautiful brick fully carpeted New 4 bedroom, family room with fireplace, formal dining room, 2½ baths, double car garage with storage room, custom built cabinets, all electric, custom made drapes, landscaped yard. Call for appointment if interested in this $60,000 home located Northwest St., Hunter Acres West. Go Davis to Salcedo Rd. turn left directly across R. R. tracks turn left 1st street which is Northwest. The house is 2nd house onright, white brick. 471-6133

GETTING THAT CLOSED IN FEELING: Then read this. This tremendous floor plan offers the best of everything. A spacious foyer entrance, a large living room with lots of wall space for furniture placement, a formal dining room big enough to easily accommodate a large table and hutch, a huge country kitchen dining and family room combination with over 400 sq. ft. of bright, sunny, and pleasant informal living, large pantry and separate utility room, wall to wall carpeting, double carport, outside storage, large 3/4 acre lot with plenty of room for a garden. And there's more, two full baths, plenty of closets, central heat and air, built-in appliances, and rounding out this fine floor plan are a king size master bedroom and two spacious bedrooms. See this home today.

WE NEED LISTINGS.

NEW LISTING: This pretty home is located at 139 Marion St. and features three bedrooms, wall to wall shag carpet, very large living room, central heat, window air cond., ceramic bath, carport, outside storage, chain link fence, kitchen and dining area with built-in cabinets and appliances. This extra clean home is priced at only $17,300.00

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EXTRA VALUE: This home features three bedrooms, plenty of closets, large carpeted living room, gas heat, window air cond., large bath, very large washer and dryer room, kitchen and dining area with built-in cabinets, large sun porch, and is priced at only $13,500.00. Located at 813 Ruth St.

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LOW PRICE: Think you can't afford a home, well think again. This home is located at 309 Jacee St. and features two bedroom, living room, dining room, kitchen, carport, bath, corner lot, and is priced at only $5,900.00

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LOTS OF EXTRAS This full brick home is located in the Holmes Sub. in the Sikeston School Dist. and features double carport, ½ acre lot, entry, large living room, wall to wall carpet, formal dining room, lots of closets, large exposed beam ceiling family room with glass sliding door to patio, kitchen and dining area any woman would want, washer and dryer room, two full ceramic baths, central air and heat, three bedrooms, master bedroom is 12x17 and has its own dressing room, and -- well just come on and see this home before you buy anything else.

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420 W. Gladys
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NEW LISTING — 843 William
Very neat 2 bedroom house, nice kitchen, fully carpeted, window air- conditioner, single carport, fenced in yard, large utility room, perfect for young couple. $13,750.

NEW LISTING — 160 Presnell
Lovely 3 bedroom ranch house 1½ baths, fully carpeted, utility room, single carport, good condition. $22,500.

810 Harvard
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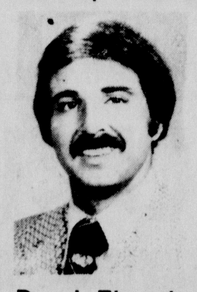

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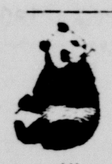

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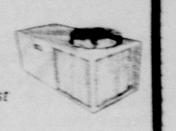

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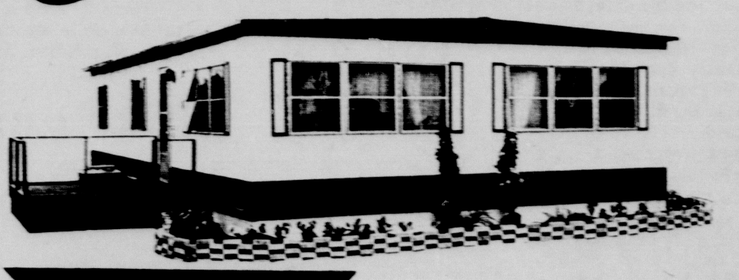

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Deaths

MAGGIE C. HUMPHREY

BERNIE — Maggie Carry Humphrey, 86, died at 12:02 a.m. Wednesday in Ridgeview Manor Nursing Home at Malden.

She was born Nov. 9, 1887 near Malden to the late Sam and Paralee Campbell.

On May 17, 1906, she married John Renick, who died Jan. 28, 1928. In June 1934, she married the Rev. James J. Humphrey, who preceded her in death Jan. 27, 1969. She was a member of the general Baptist Church in Bernie.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Peck of Bernie and Mrs. Minnie Humphrey of Flint, Mich., 13 grandchildren and 39 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at Duffie-Rainey Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday with the Revs. Cecil Winberry and Roy Edgins officiating.

Burial will be in Stephens Chapel Cemetery.

LESTER TRUETT

ST. LOUIS– Lester Truett, 58, of 3936 Westminster, a former New Madrid County resident, died Tuesday of natural causes soon after becoming ill at his home.

He was born Aug. 10, 1915 in New Madrid County to the late H. R. and Maude Ann Keith Truett. A retired car auction driver, he had lived in Risco, New Madrid and Parma before moving to St. Louis about for years ago.

Survivors include two daughters, Ruth Ann Pennington of Portageville and Sandra Webb, address unavailable; stepmother, Cora Truett of New Madrid; two brothers, Thurman Truett of Risco and Bert Truett Jr., stationed with the armed forces in Hawaii; seven stepsisters, Stella Fisher of Paragould, Ark., Zella Hill of Gideon, Gertie Kachadorian of Granite City, Ill., Irene Foreman of Matthews, Effie Freeman of Fort Smith, Ark., Cleo Cossey of Kennett and Nancy Russell of Jonesboro, Ark.; and two stepbrothers, Roscoe Book of Greenbrier, Ark., and Dickie Book of Frailey.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in Richards Funeral Home at New Madrid with the Rev. Bob Burnes officiating.

Burial will follow in Maple Cemetery at Caruthersville.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	7	8
Anheuser Busch	35½	36
Olson Bros	1	1¼
Martha Manning	1¼	1¾
Pabst Brewing	16	16½
Chase Nat	7¾	8¾
Wetterau	16½	17
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		23¼
American Tel & Tel		48½
American Motors		7¾
Calvert Exp		6¼
Chrysler		17¼
Columbia Gas		21¼
Eaton Mfg.		27¾
Ford Motors		51
General Motors		49½
Interstate Brands		7½
Malone & Hyde		24
Mid South Util		13¼
J. C. Penney		71½
New England Elect		15½
Occidental Pet		10½
WalMart Stores		15¾

$10,090 awarded in damage suit

CHARLESTON-- James L. Bloomfield and his wife, Leona Bloomfield, were awarded $10,090 of New Madrid by a Circuit Court jury Wednesday night in their personal damages suit against H. B. Campbell of New Madrid.

The suit stemmed from an automobile accident on Jan. 20, 1972 in Decatur Ala. in which the Bloomfield car was struck from behind by the Campbell car.

The Bloomfields sustained neck injuries and were awarded $5,500 for their personal injuries and $4,590 for damages to their 1971 automobile.

The verdict on the case—heard on a change of venue from New Madrid County—was returned after 33 minutes of deliberation by the jury.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat and soybean futures were somewhat higher on the Chicago Board of Trade today, but corn and oats prices were mostly weak.

On the opening, Chicago wheat futures were 1 to 3 cents a bushel higher, May 3.70; Gulf hard red was not traded; soybeans were unchanged to 3 higher, May 5.41; corn was 2½ lower to 1 higher, May 2.73½ and oats were unchanged to ¾ lower, May 1.24

Dominoes the game in 'Checkerboard Square'

East Prairie has a small park known locally as "Checkerboard Square." Not many games of checkers are staged there anymore because that game has been replaced by the latest rage, dominoes. From left are Richard Mathis, Harry Mayabb, W. C. Turnbull and Osie Lee Edwards, who made a game of it Friday in the bright spring weather.

(Daily Standard photo)

Malden names top honor students

MALDEN — Miss Carol Riggs has been named valedictorian of the 1974 graduating class of Malden High School, heading the list of the 10 top ranking students of the class with a 10.39 grade point average.

Miss Mary Byrum is salutatorian of the class and will graduate with a 10.05 grade average.

The remainder of the list of top 10 ranking students, and their grade point averages, include:

Miss Brenda Haskins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Haskins, 9.91; Miss Linda McCoin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don McCoin, 9.90; Bob Benjamin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Benjamin, 9.53; Sam Park, son of Tom Park, 9.47; Sherri Haworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Haworth, 9.36; Debbie Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Moore, 9.22; Peggy Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carr, 9.17; and Richard Samons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Samons, 8.96.

Miss Riggs is the daughter of Mrs. Juanita Riggs and plans to attend Southwestern University at Memphis, Tenn., where she has been named a Southwestern scholar. She will work toward a degree in biological science.

She has received numerous subject awards throughout her four- year career at Malden High School, including physical science, biology, chemistry, albebra II, world history and English I, II and III. She was named the Betty Crocker Family Leader of Tomorrow for 1973-74; took an honorable mention at the 1974 annual invitational art contest at Arkansas State University in Jonesboro, Ark., and was voted "Most Likely to Succeed" in the 1973-74 MHS Who's Who election.

Miss Riggs was a member of the Pep Club her freshman and sophomore years; held membership in the Beta Club her sophomore, junior and senior years, serving as club reporter as a senior; was a member and secretary of the Palette Club her junior year; a member of the Drama Club as a senior; and was a Girl Scout her freshman, sophomore and senior years, this year serving as troop president.

Miss Byrum, 18, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Byrum. After graduation, she plans to attend the School of Nursing of Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis.

She is a three- year member of the Beta Club and participated in band for two years. She was chosen for all-division band her sophomore year. She took part in Pep Club activities for three years and as a junior and a senior was a varsity cheerleader. She served as a student tutor for two years and during her senior year serves as organizations editor for the school annual and as classes editor for the Waves school newspaper staff. She was named October student of the month and received the typing award her junior year.

Miss Byrum is Miss Malden of 1974 and was a member of the football homecoming court her junior year.

Game postponed

The district tournament baseball game, scheduled today between Sikeston High School and Cape Girardeau Central High School, has been postponed because of rain and wet grounds until 4 p.m. tomorrow at VFW Stadium in Sikeston.

The game had been scheduled for 4 p.m. today.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Floow	Now.	Ch.
Chester	27	21.3	—.2
Cape Girardeau	32	26.3	—.4
New Madrid	34	21.6	—.3
Caruthersville	32	22.3	—.5

FORECAST

At Chester the river will rise .5 Friday; rise .7 Saturday; and rise .5 Sunday and crest at 23.0.

At Cape Girardeau the river will rise .1 Friday; rise .5 Saturday; and rise .5 Sunday. The river will crest Monday at 27.5.

At New Madrid the river will fall .6 Friday; fall .5 Saturday; and fall .2 Sunday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall .3 Friday; fall .4 Saturday; and fall .6 Sunday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	16.2	—1.1
Paducah	39	17.4	—.9
Grand Chain	42	28.5	—.7
Cairo	40	30.3	—.5

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will fall .4 Friday; fall .4 Saturday; and fall .3 Sunday.

At Paducah the river will fall .4 Friday; fall .8 Saturday; and fall .4 Sunday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river will fall .5 Friday; fall .3 Saturday; and fall .2 Sunday.

Five Most Active

The Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were up 2.27 on a volume of 6.5 million shares.

NYSE MOST ACTIVE

1st Natl. City	41 1/8	—1/4
U.S.Leasing	14 3/4	—1/8
Kresge	34 3/8	—1/8
AT&T	49	—1/4
Ryder Systems	20	—1 1/8
LISTED STOCKS		
American Tele	49	
Anheuser Busch	36	1/2
Butler Nat	1	5/8
Cooper Tire	11	1/2
Evans Products	9	7/8
Feld Leasing	6	1/4
Ford	51	5/8
Manchester Life	2	3/4
General Motors	49	
InterCco	25	1/4
Malone & Hyde	24	
Mid Am. Gr. Plains		7/8
Noranda Mines	46	1/2
Pizza Inn	4	3/8
R. J. Reynolds	43	3/4
Redman	7	
Rival Mfg.	36	
St. Joe Mineral	35	7/8
Texaco	24	3/4
Transamerica	8	1/4
Wetterau Foods	17	1/8

These quotations were provided at 11 a.m. today by Don Sarno, Account Executive, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Inc. 220 N. Fourth St., St. Louis, Mo. 63102 Call Toll 1-800-392-3430

One-fourth of House members all but elected

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Nearly one-fourth of the Missouri House of Representatives has all but officially been elected, even though the first votes for those posts will not be cast until the August primary.

After the primary, the number of candidates virtually assured a seat in the House will swell to more than one-third of the 163 member chamber.

With all but 13 of the 163 incumbent House members having filed for re-election, candidates in 38 districts found themselves without opposition after the filing deadline Tuesday.

Included are 37 incumbents, both Democrats and Republicans and coming from areas throughout the state, and one challenger, who found himself in the same position when his only opposition, the incumbent, withdrew from the race Tuesday.

In 19 other districts, the only contest for the seats will be in the primary election because only candidates from one party have filed.

Unless a write-in candidate can put on a strong showing, those 57 persons will capture the seats uncontested.

In the state Senate, where only 17 of the 34 denators will be up for re-election this year, 14 incumbents have filed and five of them have no opposition either for the primary or general elections. A sixth incumbent has only a primary challenger.

Sens. Earl Blackwell, D-Hillsboro, John W. Joynt, D-St. Louis, and Don Owens, R-Gerald, have not filed for re-election.

In the House, where six incumbents have filed for state Senate races, the seven not filing for another term are Cloy E. Whitney, R-Kirksville, Tim Ryan, D-Kansas City, Bill J. Crigler, D-Fayette, William A. Peterson, D-Marshall, Joseph F. Fender, R-St. Louis, Clovis Sivils, R-Rich Hill, and John W. Webb, R-Webb City, who withdrew Tuesday after originally filing.

For a non-presidential election, however, the number of candidates to file for both the House and the Senate remained about the same as four years ago. In 1970, there were 452 House candidates for the primary compared with 424 this year, and candidates for state Senate jumped from 32 in 1970 to 42 this year.

New uniform funding method being sought

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Efforts to develop a uniform method for preparation of the bills to appropriate funds for the operation of state government will get under way soon, according to the speaker of the Missouri House, Rep. Richard J. Rabbitt, D-St. Louis.

The chairmen of the House and Senate appropriations committees will be asked to meet with members of the governor's staff, the Missouri Public Expenditures Group and other interested citizens to form a special committee for that purpose, Rabbitt said Wednesday.

"By developing and adopting a uniform method which will be adhered to by all concerned, we all can more easily and efficiently obtain our mutual goals," he said.

The call for a committee was apparently prompted by the dispute which arose during budget consideration this year. The House appropriations chief, Jay Russell, D-Florissant, wanted to institute itemized budgeting while Senate chairman Norman Merrell, D-Monticello, favored lump-sum appropriations.

Efforts to compromise forced the legislature to exceed its deadline for passage of the appropriations bills by 17 hours.

"I feel," Rabbitt said, "(the committee) will help develop a more flexible budget and at the same time help us obtain more accountability."

With the legislative appropriations committees authorized to work between regular sessions of the legislature, Rabbitt indicated that a uniform method could be developed in time to avoid next year the problems encountered during this year's appropriations process.

"Popeye the Sailor" was such a popular comic strip character that the town fathers of Crystal City, Tex., a spinach-growing center, erected a statue of the hero in its town square on March 20, 1937.

Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Friday: 4,000 hogs, 100 cattle and 25 sheep.

Hogs 5,000; Butchers 50-75 lower. Sows 25-50 lower.

US 1-2 200-230 lb butchers 29.75-30.00; US 1-3 200-230 lbs 29.50-29.75; 230-250 lbs 28.5029.50.

US 1-3 300-400 lb sows 24.0024.50; 400-600 lbs 23.50.

Boars under 250 lbs 25.00; over 250 lbs 23.50.

Cattle 1,000; supply mostly feeders for regular Thursday auction. Cows weak to 50 lower. Bulls steady to 50 lower.

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He will be accompanied by Dr. W. Maion Rice, journalism service center director at Southern Illinois University.

Harry Naeter, publisher of the Cape Girardeau Southeast Missourian, will host the noon luncheon May 11.

The SeMo Press Association covers an area from DeSoto to the Arkansas line and west to Piedmont.

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permit flexible scheduling of duty hours. Beginning Jan. 1, 1975, overtime pay will be required for hours worked beyond 240 in a period of 28 consecutive days.

Secretary of Labor Peter J. Brennan said passage of the new amendments "marks a great day for American working men and women. This law is important not only because it boosts the federal minimum, but also because it extends coverage to nearly seven and a half million additional workers."

"A minimum wage," Brennan said, "is a basic measure of a nation's progress and the value it places on citizens at the lower end of the economic ladder. The new minimum wage law maintains this measure of progress while protecting the economy, with wages raised by annual stages to guard against inflation."

Persons needing further information should contact the nearest Employment Standards Administration Wage- Hour Division. There is a wage and hour division office at 339 Broadway Ave. in Cape Girardeau. The telephone number is 334-5943.

World news in Brief

SAIGON, South Vietnam (AP) — The Saigon command for the first time today acknowledged some of its air and artillery strikes "may have" spilled across the Cambodian border as heavy fighting continued for the fifth day. The command denied, however, that its ground forces crossed into Cambodia, contradicting reports from the field and other military sources. It claimed 175 North Vietnamese troops from the 5th Division were killed in fighting today and Wednesday at two points about 30 miles apart on the border, 35 miles northwest and 50 miles west of Saigon. At least 12 government soldiers were reported killed and 26 wounded.

JERUSALEM (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger moved on to Israel today to begin the real work of his latest Middle East peace mission. Kissinger conceded that the negotiations to try to bring Israel and Syria to an agreement for a withdrawal of Israeli troops on the Golan Heights would be "very difficult." "The main difficulty is the distrust between the Syrians and the Israelis." he told newsmen. "If we can contribute to removing that, then we are reaching a settlement." Sadat was more optimistic, declaring: "I have full confidence my friend, Dr. Henry, will achieve a disengagement."

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — The United States Army is closing a headquarters at Sattahip, on the south coast of Thailand, from which supplies for the Cambodian army were directed, the Thai Foreign Ministry announced today. It said this will trim 2,100 American troops from the 34,500 still stationed in Thailand. No information was available from U.S. military authorities on how American supplies to the Cambodian goverment will be directed, but a Thai spokesman said U.S. military units from the Bangkok area would be moved to Sattahip to occupy some of the facilities being vacated at the $35-million port the United States built and operates there.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — The United Nations General Assembly's special session has finished its work. The assembly adopted a third world proposal for a special fund to provide emergency aid to poor countries hard hit by high food and fuel prices. It also approved an action program to create a new relationship between rich and poor countries. The United States accused the session of yielding to a "steamroller" that blocked agreement on an American program for $4 billion worth of emergency aid. But U.S. Ambassador John A. Scali told the assembly that the Washington still intends to "do its share" to ease hardships of needy countries.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Judiciary Committee has charged President Nixon with failure to comply with its subpoena for Watergate tapes. The committee's chairman and chief counsel said Nixon's noncompliance could be an impeachable offense. By a narrow 20-18 vote that shattered its bipartisan approach to the inquiry, the committee directed Chairman Peter J. Rodino Jr., D-N.J., to notify Nixon that his delivery of edited transcripts instead of tapes does not meet the committee's request. John Doar, chief counsel for the panel, said: "In this country there are no exceptions to the command of law." But the committee declined to recommend that Nixon be cited for contempt of Congress.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate has decided the government needs a special watchdog agency over inflation, but has buried an attempt to restore authority for new wage and price controls. Acting less than 24 hours after the administration's old controls program expired, the Senate voted 44 to 41 in favor of an amendment giving the administration authority to monitor wages and prices for another year. The amendment also gives the administration powers to enforce anti-inflation commitments made by several hundred major corporations before the controls program expired. However, the Senate rejected 56 to 32 an attempt to renew authority for standby wage and price controls.

WASHINGTON (AP) — A bill directing the states to reform their automobile-insurance systems to guarantee compensation for all accident victims has won Senate approval. The 53-42 vote sent the no-fault bill to the House, where the Commerce Committee has yet to start work on the question.

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Eisenbach provides punch

CHARLESTON-- Sikeston shortstop Rick Eisenbach is suddenly sprouting a new set of muscles. After going through all of last year and the first eleven games this season without an extra- base hit, the senior has belted two homers and two doubles to raise his already good batting average to .435 and his r- b- i total to 11 in 15 games, a good mark for a leadoff man. Yesterday afternoon Eisenbach rapped three hits, including a homerun and a double, to lead an 11- hit Sikeston attack as the Bulldogs took Charleston 8- 1. Centerfielder Donny Taylor also poked a shot out of the park in the fifth as Sikeston ran its homerun total to 14 in 15 games.

Sikeston was not impressive in the win. About the only impressive thing about the Bulldogs, other than Eisenbach's hitting, was the hurling of Rich Blankenship. Sikeston's senior curveballer had a good one going against the Jays and allowed just four hits, two of them pop flies, while fanning eight for his fourth win. Sikeston was lackadaisical in the field and quiet on the bench, an item that worried Sikeston coaching. The team appeared to be pointing ahead to Thursday's 3:30 game at home against Cape, admittedly a much more important game. But, except for the fact that Charleston's top winner, Junior Delay, had gone earlier in the week against Poplar Bluff, the game might have been much closer.

Except for the fourth, when a couple of misplays let them score a run, the Jays never threatened Sikeston's hurler. Then, when Blankenship was rested in the seventh, Mitch Walker came in and dazzled the Blue Jay batters with another curve, fanning the side around a short hit on a pop fly and a walk. Both pitchers could probably come back against Cape, but Kenny Stokes will start the game. Stokes defeated Central 10- 6 a week ago, but has not been up to his earlier standards on the mound lately. Sikeston has beaten Cape four times in a row dating back to two years ago, but Stokes will need his good stuff to defeat the Tigers in the must- win district game. Just one loss will once again end the year for the talented team, so they'll have to play their top game. An effort such as the one against Charleston won't do at all.

BOX SCORE:

SIKESTON (8)

	AB	R	H
Eisenbach SS	4	2	3
Self SS	0	0	0
Leible C	3	0	1
Shell, C- 3B	2	0	0
Stokes 3B	3	2	1
Walker CF- 3B- P	1	0	0
Saulter 1B	3	0	1
Miller 1B- C	1	0	1
Colwick LF	1	1	0
Hesselrode RF	2	1	1
Lawrence RF	3	1	1
Deal 2B	1	0	1
Taylor CF- LF	3	1	1
Love 1B	0	0	0
Blankenship P- LF	3	0	0
	30	8	11

CHARLESTON (1)

	AB	R	H
Smoot 2B	3	0	1
Delay 1B- LF	3	0	1
Hatchel CF	2	0	0
Laster PH	1	0	0
McDowell LF- P	2	1	1
Johnson 3B	3	0	0
Pierce RF	3	0	1
Schott SS	2	0	0
Collier C	0	0	0
Ayers C	2	0	1
Bailey P	1	0	0
Max Ph- LF- 1B	2	0	0
	24	1	5

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E- Johnson, Schott. DP- Sikeston 1, Charleston 1. LOB- Sikeston 9, Charleston 6. 2B- Schatzley, Eisenbach, Leible. HR- Eisenbach, Leible. SB- Eisenbach, Leible, Stokes 2, Colwick, Deal, McDowell. WP- Blankenship 2, Walker, Bailey. PB- Collier, Shell. HBP- Self (by McDowell). T- 1:54. A- 34.

SIKESTON PITCHING

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	BF	HR
Blankenship (W)	6	4	1	1	3	8	23	0
Walker	1	1	0	0	1	3	5	0

CHARLESTON PITCHING

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	BF	HR
Bailey (L)	5	9	8	7	3	4	28	2
McDowell	2	2	0	0	1	0	10	0

Oran upsets Bernie

BERNIE---- The Oran Eagles upset the second seeded Bernie Mules in the District baseball tournament here Wednesday afternoon 7- 3 and Twin Rivers pasted the Puxico Indians 12- 2.

Sophomore Jim Anderson put the stops to the Mules offensive attack with a four hitter. He struckout nine batters enroute to the victory. Ruben White took the loss for Bernie. Anderson has allowed only two earned runs in his last 21 innings of pitching.

The win was the fourth in succession for the fast coming Eagles who now have evened their season record at 6- 6.

Bernie jumped on top in the top of the third inning scoring an earned and an unearned run to lead 2- 0. Oran wasted little time in erasing the lead as the Eagles came roaring back to score three runs with a double by Lynn Burlison doing most of the damage as he drove in two runs. Burlison went 3- 4 at the plate with three rbi's in the game.

Oran plated four more runs in the bottom of the fifth as Keith Campbell knocked in two runs with a single. Campbell also had three hits in the game.

Tom Short fired a one-hitter at the PHS Indians as Mike Reed took the loss.

The Royals opened up early against Reed scoring four times in the top of the first and never let up, scoring four more in the second.

Oran plays Twin Rivers at 3:30 Friday afternoon in the quarterfinals of District 11.

Prep data

THURSDAY'S SCHEDULE

GOLF

Dexter at Cape
Poplar Bluff at Kennett
Perryville at Sikeston
Blytheville at Caruthersville

BASEBALL

District Tournaments
Cape Central at Sikeston 3:30
Perryville at Poplar Bluff

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

Sikeston 8, Charleston 1
District tournaments
Kelly 6, East Prairie 0
Oran 7, Bernie 3
Twin Rivers 12, Puxico 2
North Pemiscot 8, Clarkton 4
Delta C-7 9, Gideon 4

MU eyes chiefs house

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Kansas State and Missouri may square off this football season in Arrowhead Stadium here, home of the National Football League Kansas City Chiefs.

Kansas State Athletic Director Ernie Barrett plans to present a proposal Friday to the Kansas State Athletic Council that it endorse the switch from Manhattan, Kan., for the game, scheduled Nov. 2.

"We're going to discuss it, and from a financial standpoint I think it has some merit," Barrett said.

Jennings, Crews star

HAYTI — Vernon Jennings and Danny Crews turned in outstanding pitching performances Wednesday afternoon and led their teams into the quarterfinals of the class A district baseball playoffs.

Jennings checked Clarkton, 8-4, allowing only a pair of hits while fanning 10 Reindeer batters while his North Pemiscot teammates banged out an even dozen safeties and sped to an 8-0 lead through five innings and breezed to the victory.

Crews led his Delta C-7 teammates to a 9-4 verdict over Gideon, allowing only three hits while fanning eight and walking five. Gerald Murphy was tagged with the defeat.

Tournament action resumes this afternoon as Parma squares off against Campbell at 2 p.m. and Hayti goes against Southland at 4 p.m.

Jackson stars

EAST PRAIRIE — Jeff 'Jethro' Jackson hurled the Kelly Hawks past the EPHS Eagles, 6-0, in the quarterfinals of the District baseball tournament here Wednesday afternoon.

Jackson gave up three hits and loser Tim Bard allowed only five safeties to the Hawks.

Coach Jim Thornsberry used the old squeeze play to score the first two runs of the game as Ken Hulshof squeezed in the first tally in the bottom of the second inning and Doug Johnson had the honor in the bottom of the fourth. Jeff Jackson hit a homerun in the bottom of the fifth with one on to put the game out of reach.

Kelly plays New Madrid Monday afternoon in the semi-finals.

Stars

By The Associated Press

BATTING—Gary Matthews, Giants, ripped three singles and his second home run of the season, driving in three runs in San Francisco's 13-8 pounding of the Philadelphia Phillies.

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Large catches at N.M.

On their first Mississippi River jug fishing trip of the season Monday, a New Madrid team composed, from left, of Cloyce Poore, Flip Dees and Bob Henrickson claimed a 45- pound catch in a two-hour period which included a 38-pound catfish. (Daily Standard photo)

Smith has good start

Randy Smith's debut for the Salinas Angels of the California Class A minor league team will be one to remember.

The fireballing lefthander from Arbyrd, Mo., went nine innings in his first game of the season, allowing only three hits and two walks while fanning three and holding his opponents scoreless.

Gary Blaylock of Malden, playing with the Visalia, Calif. Mets in the California class A league, drove in three runs, hit one homer and a pair of doubles and fashioned a .263 batting average the first week of the season with five hits in 19 times at bat.

For Steve Coulson of Fisk, the season got off on a low note. Coulson is playing for the West Haven Yanks in the Eastern class AA division.

The sharp fielding former Three Rivers Community College graduate had only a pair of hits in 16 at bats during the first week of the season.

No report was received on Mark Littell of Gideon and Greg Buys of Kennett.

Pro basketball

By The Associated Press
All Series Best-of-7
NBA
Finals

Sunday, April 28
Boston 98, Mileaukee 83
Tuesday, April 30
Milwaukee 105, Boston 96; Series tied 1-1
Friday, May 3
Milwaukee at Boston, N., national TV
Sunday, May 5
Milwaukee at Boston, time to be announced, national TV
Tuesday, May 7
Boston at Milwaukee, if necessary, time to be announced, national TV
Friday, May 10
Milwaukee at Boston, if necessary, time to be announced, national TV
Sunday, May 12
Boston at Milwaukee, if necessary, time to be announced, national TV

ABA
Finals
Tuesday, April 30
New York 89, Utah 85; New York leads 1-0
Saturday, May 4
Utah at New York, N., national TV
Monday, May 6
New York at Utah, N.
Wednesday, May 8
New York at Utah, N.
Friday, May 10
Utah at New York, if necessary, time to be announced.
Saturday, May 11
New York at Utah, N., if necessary, national TV
Tuesday, May 14
Utah at New York, N., if necessary, national TV

BASKETBALL
DENVER — Alex Hannum, whose three- year contract expired, was fired as coach, general manager and preisdent of the American Basketball Association Denver Rockets by the team's owners.

Ellis hits 'em

Dock Ellis mowed them down Wednesday night- literally.

Losing all control, the Pittsburgh Pirate pitcher hit Cincinnati's first three batters and not only caused some discomfort but also tied a major league record.

"I've never seen anyone that wild," said Cincinnati Manager Sparky Anderson after Ellis, control problems led to a 5-3 victory over the Pirates. "I've never seen anyone hit the first three batters like that."

Pete Rose, Joe Morgan and Dan Driessen were struck in the back by Ellis pitches and that tied a record held by eight others. Emerson Hawley did it twice -with St. Louis in 1874 and with Pittsburgh in 1896. The last pitcher to do it was Raul Sanchez of Cincinnati in 1960.

In the National League's other games, the SanFrancisco Giants bombed the Philadelphia Phillies 13-8; the San Diego Padres beat the Montreal Expos 5-1; the Atlanta Braves nipped the St. Louis Cardinals 6-5; the Houston Astros tripped the Chicago Cubs 11-7 and;

In the American League, the New York Yankees nudged the Oakland A's 4-3; the California Angels stopped the Boston Red Sox 4-2; the Detroit Tigers turned back the Kansas City Royals 2-1; the Milwaukee Brewers ripped the Texas Rangers 11-3 and the Chicago White Sox blanked the Baltimore Orioles 2-0.

Giants 13, Phillies 8, Doubles by Garry Maddox, Bobby Bonds and Steve Ontiveres sparked a nine-run, fifth- inning rally that powered San Francisco's rout of Philadelphia.

The Giants sent 15 batters to the plate in the fifth, overcoming a 6-3 Philadelphia lead with six hits and six bases on balls.

Padres 5, Expos 1

Rookie Dave Freisleben pitched a four- hitter for his second victory in as many major league starts, leading San Diego over Montreal for its fifth straight victory.

Astros 11, Cubs 7

Houston's Lee May hit a pair of two-run singles, rallying Houston past Chicago.

Braves 6, Cardinals 5

Pinch- hitter Frank Tepedino broke a tie with a ninth - inning single, triggering Atlanta past St. Louis. Craig Robinson led off the rally with a single and walks to Ralph Garr and Leo Foster eventually loaded the bases for Tepedino, who drilled a base hit to right.

Dodgers 2, Mets 1

Steve Garvey's run-scoring single in the 14th inning off relief pitcher Harry Parker led Los Angeles over New York. Tom Seaver pitched splendidly for the Mets, striking out a major league season high of 16 batters before retiring after 12 innings.

Sports

ANAHEIM (AP) — The Southern California Sun of the World Football League announced the signing Tuesday of Tim Guy, defensive lineman from the University of Oregon.

The Sun signed Guy, a 6-foot- 6, 247- pounder, after trading an undisclosed draft choice to the Philadelphia Bell, which drafted him in the WFL's ninth round. He was drafted in the fifth round by Buffalo in the National Football League.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Two college players - running back Dean Dreher of Chio Northern and Guard Bob Martin of Bowling Green - have signed with the Jacksonville Sharks of the World Football League.

The Sharks now have 86 players under contract. Coach Bud Asher said he expects to go to training camp in June with about 100.

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League reportedly will sign wide receiver Harold Carmichael to a multi- year contract that will keep him from jumping to the World Football League.

The contract apparently is in the $300,000 range. Carmichael was the Eagles leading receiver last year, catching 67 passes for 1,116 yards, and, along with quarterback Roman Gabriel, helped Philadelphia become the No. 1 passing team in the NFL.

ATLANTA (AP) — A proposal to rename Atlanta Stadium in honor of home run king Hank Aaron of the Atlanta Braves is expected to encounter little opposition from members of the Atlanta- Fulton County Recreation Authority.

The proposal was made Monday by Mayor Maynard Jackson.

Recreation Authority member Lou Zakas said Tuesday he would vote for the proposal. "It would be a very deserving tribute to a great ball player who brought international recognition to Atlanta."

COLLEGE FOOTBALL
INDIANAPOLIS — Frank Navarro, football coach at Columbia University the past six years, was named head coach of Wabas College at Crawfordsville, Ind.

Standings

By The Associated Press

American League

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	14	10	.583	—
Milwaukee	10	8	.556	1
Baltimore	11	9	.550	1
Detroit	10	10	.500	2
Cleveland	10	11	.576	2½
Boston	10	13	.535	3½
West				
Texas	13	9	.591	—
California	12	11	.522	1½
Oakland	10	11	.476	2½
Chicago	9	11	.450	3
Minnesota	9	11	.450	3
Kansas C.	8	12	.400	4

Wednesday's Games
New York 4, Oakland 3
California 4, Boston 2
Detroit 2, Kansas City 1
Milwaukee 11, Texas 3
Chicago 2, Balitmore 0
Only games scheduled
Thursday's Games
Detroit Coleman 4-1 at Kansas City Fitzmorris 2-0, N.
Only game scheduled.
Friday's Games
Cleveland at Oakland, N.
Baltimore at California, N.
New York at Kansas City, N.
Detroit at Minnesota, N
Chicago at Milwaukee, N.
Texas at Boston, N.

National League

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	13	10	.565	—
Montreal	9	8	.529	1
Philadelphia	10	12	.455	2½
Chicago	7	12	.369	4
New Yrok	8	14	.384	4½
Pittsburgh	6	13	.316	5
West				
Los Angeles	18	6	.750	—
Houston	15	10	.600	3½
Cincinnati	11	9	.550	5
Atlanta	12	12	.500	6
San Fran	12	12	.500	6
San Diego	11	14	.440	7½

Wednesday's Games
San Francisco 13, Philadelphia 8
San Diego 5, Montreal 1
Cincinnati 5, Pittsburgh 3
Atlanta 6, St. Louis 5
Houston 11, Chicago 7
Los Angeles 2, New York 1, 14 innings
Thursday's Games
Atlanta Harrison 2-2 at St. Louis Siebert 2-1 or Foster 1-1
Cincinnati Norman 1-1 at Pittsburgh Reuss 0-2, N.
Friday's Games
Cincinnati at Chicago
St. Louis at Houston, N.
San Francisco at Montreal, N.
San Diego at New York, N.
Los Angeles at Philadelphia, N.
Atlanta at Pittsburgh, N.

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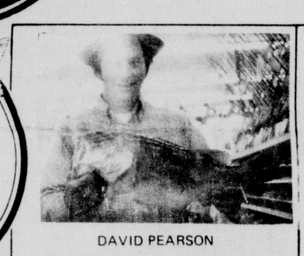

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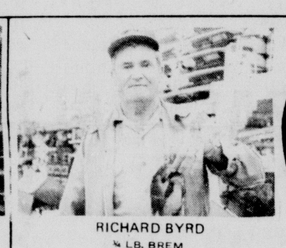

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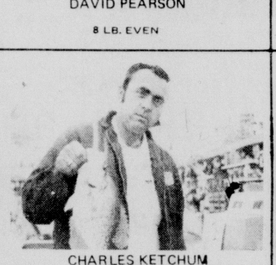

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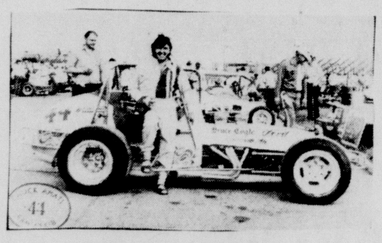

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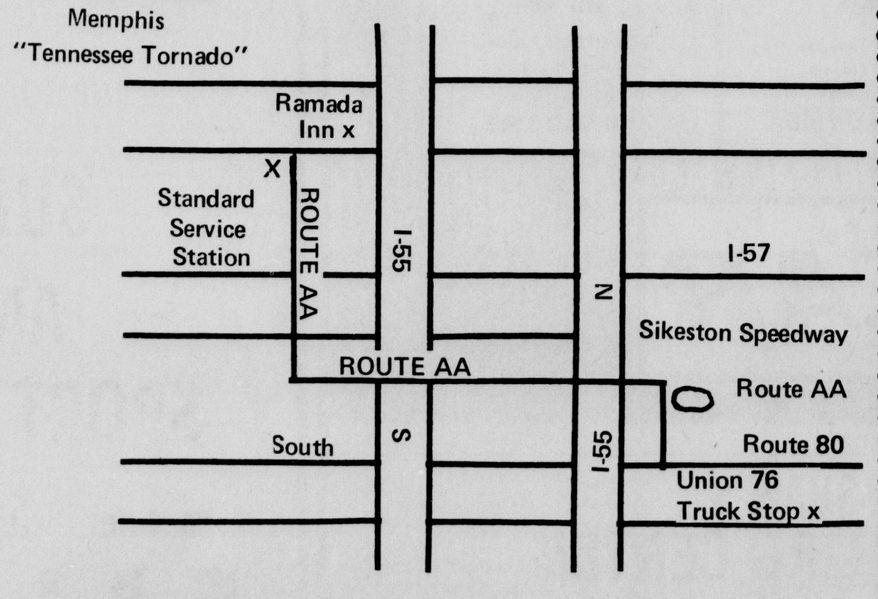

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Leaders

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National League

BATTING (50 at bats)—Reitz, StL, .420; Gross, Htn, .375; Maddox, SF, .370.

RUNS—Brock, StL, 24; Cedeno, Htn, 22; Bonds, SF, 21.

RUNS BATTED IN—Cedeno, Htn, 25; Garvey, LA, 22; T.Perez, Cin, 21; Wynn, LA, 21.

HITS—Reitz, StL, 37; Maddox, SF, 37; R.Smith, StL, 34; Garr, Atl, 32; Watson, Htn, 32.

DOUBLES—Rose, Cin, 9; Concepcion, Cin, 9; Simmons, StL, 8; Garvey, LA, 8; Reitz, StL, 7; Baker, Atl, 7; Cedeno, Htn, 7.

TRIPLES—Garr, Atl, 3; Bonds, SF, 3; 10 Tied With 2.

HOME RUNS—H.Aaron, Atl, 7; T.Perez, Cin, 7; Garvey, LA, 7; Wynn, LA, 7; Hebner, Pgh, 6.

STOLEN BASES—Brock, StL, 14; Cedeno, Htn, 14; Lopes, LA, 14; Morgan, Cin, 9; Bowa, Phi, 8; E.Hernandz, SD, 8.

PITCHING (3 Decisions)—John, LA, 50, 1.000, 1.76 Koosman, NY, 3-0, 1.000, 2.63 Brewer, LA, 4-1, .800, 3.00.

STRIKEOUTS—Seaver, NY, 44; P.Niekro, Atl, 41; Messrsmth, LA, 36.

American League

BATTING (50 at bats)—Carew, Min, .398; R.Jackson, Oak, .390; Stanton, Cal, .390; Piniella, NY, .367.

RUNS—G.Nettles, NY, 18; R.Jackson, Oak, 18; D.Nelson, Tex, 17; Murcer, NY, 16; Rivers, Cal, 16; Bando, Oak, 16.

RUNS BATTED IN—R.Jackson, Oak, 27; G.Nettles, NY, 23; Burroughs, Tex, 20.

HITS—Carew, Min, 35; R.Jackson, Oak, 32; Rudi, Oak, 29.

DOUBLES—Rudi, Oak, 10; Yaztremski, Bsn, 7; Healy, KC, 7; R.Jackson, Oak, 7; 6 Tied With 6.

TRIPLES—Garcia, Mil, 3; White, NY, 3; Valentine, Cal, 3; Rivers, Cal, 3; Otis, KC, 3.

HOME RUNS—G.Nettles, NY, 11; R.Jackson, Oak, 10; Yaztremski, Bsn, 6; Burroughs, Tex, 6.

STOLEN BASES—Patek, KC, 11; Rivers, Cal, 8; Wohlford, KC, 8; Lowenstein, Cle, 7; R.Jackson, Oak, 7; D.Nelson, Tex, 7.

PITCHING (3 Decisions)—Hiller, Det, 3-0, 1.000, 0.36 Stottlemyre, NY, 5-1, .833, 2.45 Jenkins, Tex, 5-1, .833, 1.84.

STRIKEOUTS—N.Ryan, Cal, 51; Blyleven, Min, 39; G.Perry,

NFL has most productive day

The National Football League had one of its most productive days of 1974 Wednesday...and its season still is five months away.

The NFL generally has adopted two lines of attack in attempting to blunt the effect of its rival, the World Football League, and the established league scored victories on both fronts.

One area is the courtroom.

The other is the bargaining table.

In Dallas, a State District Court judge issued a temporary injunction prohibiting the WFL from grabbing any more players from the Dallas Cowboys.

Meanwhile in Philadelphia, Harold Carmichael signed with the Eagles, and in Los Angeles, Tom Mack signed with the Rams, both players turning down larger money offers from the WFL. Carmichael, a wide receiver who led the league with 67 receptions last year, signed a three- year contract for an estimated $175,000. Mack, an All Pro offensive guard who played out his option and would have become a free agent Tuesday midnight, signed a multi-year contract.

Carmichael's attorney, James N. Solano, elaborated on what could become a NFL rallying cry: "More considerations than just money."

"We did turn down more money from the WFL than we get from the Eagles," Solane said. "But you have to figure that playing in the NFL, with its pension plan, other fringe benefits, endorsements, is worth $500,000.

"So actually there is not that substantial a difference between the WFL and NFL offers."

That's apparently the NFL line in its battle to stay competitive with the WFL in the bidding war for players' services.

And Paul Brown, coach and general manager of the NFL's Cincinnati Bengals, gave the same advice to Bill Bergey when the star linebacker was weighing a WFL offer of $525,000 for three years from the Virginia Ambassadors.

"I said, 'Bill, sometimes all that glitters isn't gold,"

Brown testified in Cincinnati's district court where the Bengals have filed a preliminary injunction against Bergey, who did accept the offer, and the WFL.

"He said, 'Coach, the figures are beautiful," Brown added.

The loss of Carmichael and Mack, when the WFL was courting, was a disappointment, but the decision in Dallas has the more serious implications for the new league.

Bergey signed for the 1976 season since he had another year on his Cincinnati contract but his name gave prestige and publicity to the Virginia franchise, commodities it needs as it opens its first season this fall.

But if the injunction against the WFL tampering with the Dallas players sticks- and the WFL has 20 days to appeal- then the rest of the NFL might be inclined to go to court.

This could prevent the WFL from making future signings, depriving the league of publicity and commitments from established players.

Cardinal box score

National at St. Louis

ATLANTA	AB	R	H	BI
Garr rf	4	2	1	3
Foster 2b	4	1	2	1
Murrell 1b	4	0	1	0
Tepedino 1b	1	0	1	1
HAaron lf	4	0	1	0
Office cf	0	0	0	1
Baker cf	5	0	1	0
MPerez 3b	2	1	0	0
Evans 3b	0	0	0	0
Casanova c	4	0	0	0
CRobinsn ss	4	2	2	0
Morton p	3	0	0	0
Oates ph	0	0	0	0
Frisella p	0	0	0	0
Total	35	6	9	6

ST LOUIS	AB	R	H	BI
Brock lf	5	1	2	0
Sizemore 2b	4	0	1	0
RSmith rf	3	1	1	1
Simmons c	3	0	0	0
McBride cf	4	1	1	0
Reitz 3b	4	1	2	1
Torre 1b	4	0	1	0
Tyson ss	3	0	0	1
McCrvr ph	1	0	0	0
Curtis p	2	0	0	0
JCruz ph	1	0	0	0
Garman p	0	0	0	0
Folkers p	0	0	0	0
Pena p	0	0	0	0
Hickman ph	1	1	1	1
Total	35	5	9	4

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E—Casanova, Tyson, Reitz, Foster. DP—Atlanta 1. LOB—Atlanta 8, St. Louis 6. 2B—Brock, Torre. HR—Garr (1), Foster (1), Hickman (2). SB—Brock, Garr. S—Sizemore, Oates. SF—Office.

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Morton	8	8	4	2
Frisella	1 1	1	1	1
Curtis	7	7	4	4
Garman	1 1	1	1	1
Folkers	1-3	0	1	1
Pena	2-3	1	0	0

BB—Morton, 2; Curtis, 1; Garman, 1; Folkers, 2. SO—Morton, 5; Curtis, 2. W—Morton, 3-2. L—Garman, 2-1. T—2:26. A—14,202.

SAN DIEGO — The World Hockey Association announced the transfer of the Jersey Knights to San Diego for the 1974-75 season.

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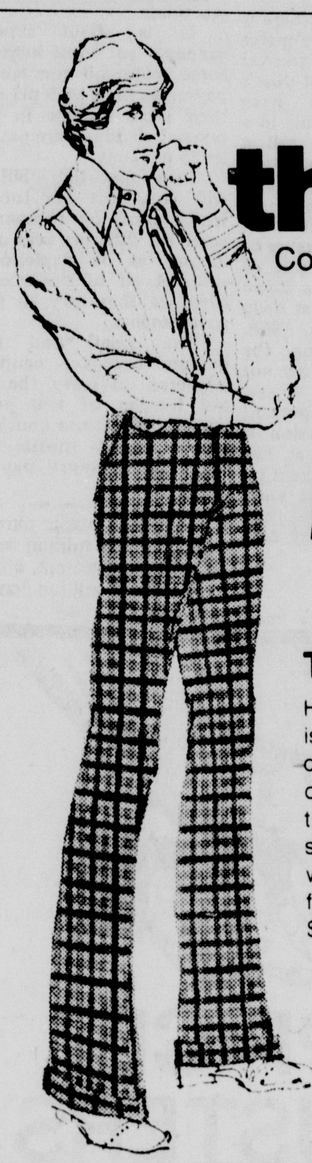
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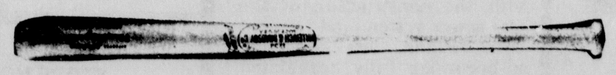
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What's the law?

The case of the flirty defendant

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Harry, being sued by Mr. Bobbin, figured his case was as strong as his weakest wink. Consequently, during the trial, he was caught sheepishly fluttering his eye lashes at two female jurors and was reprimanded by the judge for doing so. In fact, he was even caught and reprimanded for winking at one of the male jurors who gayly returned the wink. Nevertheless, the trial proceeded and, ultimately, Harry won the case.

Outraged, Mr. Bobbin demanded a new trial.

"Harry didn't win on the facts," he protested. "He won on his charms. He was flirting with everyone in the courtroom - except the judge."

"Nonsense," responded Harry. "Bobbin is just sore that the jury found my personality less obnoxious than he did. But, that doesn't entitle him to a new trial. He thought the jury would hate me but, obviously, they loved me."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you grant Mr. Bobbin a new trial?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that Mr. Bobbin was well aware of Harry's highly improper conduct during the trial, but he chose to raise no objection. He may have relied upon the strength of his case in not doing so or he may have thought that Harry's conduct would affect the jury adversely and work to his benefit. His miscalculation does not automatically entitle him to a second chance. If he wanted a new trial, concluded the judge, he should have asked for it on those occasions when Harry was caught flirting.

(Based upon a 1969 United States District Court Decision)

DR. LAWRENCE E. LAMB

Exercise and bust size

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D

DEAR DR. LAMB — Here is a question of interest to many women. Health spas, exercise gyms, etc. give women exercises to build up the pectoral muscles, claiming it enlarges the breast. I have read that the pectoral muscles, for some reason, cannot be built up in women as they can in men. Is it a waste of time for women to indulge in weight lifting exercises, etc. which are increasingly popular in health spas?

I have seen women lifting as much as 60-pound bars. Is this harmful? If it is true that a woman can build muscle in this area, just how much can she expect to gain in inches? Health spas give such exaggerated figures. They also claim that these exercises will help the sagging breast. Is this true or false?

DEAR READER — Such exercises will not enlarge the breast itself. But, by building up the pectoral muscles the breasts rest upon, even a small breast can be made to look larger. It's like taking a small diamond and improving its appearance by improving its setting.

Yes, women can increase the size of their pectoral muscles. Any healthy muscle will grow in relation to the amount of physical stress or tension it is required to contract against. As you increase the load, its size grows and grows. Endurance exercises are used to improve the heart and vascular system and strength exercises are used to grow muscles.

There is nothing harmful in weight lifting, done properly, for either healthy men or women. It can even be good for one's health. Developing sufficient muscle mass also helps prevent fat deposits. Muscle tissue uses more calories at rest than a similar amount of fat tissue. Hence, it is easier to control weight if more of your body weight is muscle rather than fat.

I suspect that if you get any improvement in sagging, it will be minimal. A woman can improve her posture, and when she does this and stands up straight with her shoulders back, not slouched forward, there is often less sagging of the breastline.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Most of the time I am able to control my appetite. However, there are times when I seem to crave large amounts of food. After I overeat, I go to the bathroom where, by sticking my finger down my throat, I vomit all that I've overeaten. This has been going on over a period of two years.

Is there any chance I could hurt myself by doing this? So far I haven't noted any ill effects. Incidentally, I throw up food about four times a week. I am 49 years old.

I first read of this being done by the ancient Romans.

DEAR READER — You are right, the ancient Romans did do this, and then returned to the banquet hall to eat again. It isn't what I would recommend for weight control, but I suppose everyone has his price to pay for overeating.

About the only danger is that forceful vomiting can sometimes rupture a blood vessel in the bottom of the esophagus. A fairly massive bleeding can follow. I would think this unlikely as long as you didn't wretch too violently or force yourself too much.

There are more pleasant ways to keep your caloric intake down. To learn about them you might want to write for the "Losing Weight," booklet. Send 50 cents to cover costs to "Losing Weight," in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019.

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Frankly speaking

Taxpayer needs help to fight rising prices

In 1968 the inflation rate was 4.7 per cent. Since then the average annual increase has been 5.4 per cent. The rate jumped to 8.8 per cent in 1973, and is running at 14.5 for the first three months of this year.

If this trend continues, the cost of living will double every 14 years. A family of four, with an income of $12,000 per year, will need $17,614 in 1980 to keep the same standard of living.

But even with wage increases, the average wage earner has not been able to keep up.

Hitting Where It Hurts

Inflation is hitting where it hurts the most. Propane prices in Missouri skyrocketed to over 300 per cent above last year's prices. Food prices have climbed over 20 per cent in a year. No one has to tell a housewife what inflation means as she watches her food budget buy less and less.

At the same time, the Gross National Product, a measure of the nation's total output of goods and services, was down 5.8 per cent, the biggest drop since the recession in 1958. Shortages are plaguing the nation. Increased prices are not stimulating production.

The single most important factor in today's inflation is the increased cost of fuel. For instance, home fuel oil went up 61.6 per cent over last year. These increases are then reflected in almost every area of production.

Huge Oil Profits

Oil company profits made enormous jumps in the first three months of this year when compared to the same period last year. Gulf's profit, for example, increased 76 per cent; Texaco's 123 per cent. There is no justification for the oil price increases we have experienced in the past 12 months. I supported measures in the Senate to roll back oil price increases and tax away windfall profits. Both measures were opposed by the Administration, and the price rollback bill was vetoed.

As a consequence, the oil companies have their price increases and their windfall profits, and the American people see their paychecks worthless.

It is about time the taxpayer got some help. While some major oil companies are paying as little as 5 per cent of their gross income in federal taxes, individuals are paying 20 to 25 per cent.

I am supporting a bill which will close off tax loopholes which allow oil companies to write off 22½ per cent of their income as oil depletion and subtract all of the taxes and royalties they pay to foreign governments.

The small and middle income taxpayer cannot be expected to carry the entire tax burden of this country while corporations continue to have runaway profits. These corporations must pay their share.

The buying public purchased more than $54 million worth of boats and equipment, a drop of more than $3 million compared with 1973.

Tourism commission offers instant travel information

The Missouri Tourism Commission has announced a pilot program to provide timely travel information throughout the state and nation beginning on May 1. The program, in cooperation with Western Union, will make the information available to approximately 3,000 subscribers to Western Union's "TWX" system in Missouri, and roughly 50,000 nationwide.

According to Western Union officials, Missouri is the first state to provide travel data through their instant retrieval "TWX" system. Subscribers to the system in Missouri include most of the state's big corporations, hotels and motels and news media. By using Western Union equipment to call the Tourism Commission in Jefferson City during normal working hours, "TWX" subscribers will receive a printout of travel information that can be used to help their employees plan vacations or for news purposes.

Plans call for the travel report to be changed daily and, most likely, several times during the day, says Tourism Commission Director James Pasley. A typical report will contain data on gasoline availability in all sections of the state, a fishing report on major lakes, a listing of special events coming up and a Highway Patrol report on road conditions.

As an example, say an employee of Monsanto in St. Louis wants to plan a fishing weekend in southwest Missouri. By using that company's "TWX" system, he can get current information from the Tourism commission on the gas situation in that part of the state, the fishing conditions on the lakes and any road hazards he's likely to encounter on the way.

"This innovation will be an important aid to Missouri's travel industry," says Pasley. "For the first time, giant corporations, lodging facilities and news media will have up-to-the-minute travel information available for their employees, readers and listeners."

Looking Back

Barrett will resign city clerk position

50 years ago
May 2, 1924

Dr. R. E. Wiley and wife moved last week to Lilbourn from Risco, where they have been residing. Dr. Wiley has a farm in the vicinity of Risco and has decided he can look after it between calls as well from Lilbourn as Risco.

New Madrid-- Misses Dixie and Sybil Massengill, students at Teachers College, Cape Girardeau, spent the weekend with their parents, Attorney and Mrs. J. M. Massengill, of this city.

Mrs. Robert Mow will entertain Tuesday with a birthday party in honor of her daughter, Margaret, it being her birthday.

Mrs. A. W. Robertson of Poplar Bluff is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Sikes.

40 years ago
May 2, 1934

Mrs. Elsie Clodfelter of St. Louis visited relatives in Sikeston Saturday.

Malone Theatre, today, "George White's Scandals" with Rudy Valee, Jimmy Durante, Alice Faye, Adrienne Ames, Gregory Ratoff, Cliff Edwards, Dixie Dunbar, Gertrude Michael, Richard Carle, Warren Huymer, and George White.

Short funeral services were held at the family home Monday in Illmo for Mrs. Fannie Gray Carlson, 63 years old, who died of heart disease at her farm home.

Four young men from Sikeston are candidates for degrees at the graduation exercises at the University of Missouri at Columbia June 6. Candidates for the degree of bachelor of arts are Alexander L. Russell and Arch Somerville Russell, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Arch S. Russell, sr.; for the degree of bachelor of science in business administration, Glenn Woods Boyer, son of G. H. Boyer; and for the degree of bachelor of laws, Robert A. Dempster, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dempster.

30 years ago
May 2, 1944

Matthews-- Pfc. Douglas Hammock left Saturday after spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hammock.

L. M. Standley and E. R. Putnam, sr., are in St. Louis this week to take 32nd degree rites in Masonry.

Gene Kindred will go to Jefferson Barracks Monday to enter the armed forces. Mr. and Mrs. Kindred and their children returned from Richmond, Calif., on April 8.

Charles W. Chaney, 78, who had been ill for some time, died Tuesday at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Myers in Oran.

20 years ago
May 2, 1954

Randolph Stafford, 60, Route 4, Sikeston, died Sunday in the Delta Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyree Brown, Bell City, are parents of a baby boy born yesterday at the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Luber, Sikeston, are parents of a baby boy born yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White of Painton are parents of a baby boy born today.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rome Wilson of Lilbourn today.

The Rev. Earl E. Weis, who would have been pastor of Concordia Lutheran Church in Sikeston nine years on August 5, left today with his family for Hammond, Ind., where he has accepted the pastorate there of St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

A. C. "Jube" Barrett, for the past 20 years city clerk of Sikeston, is resigning his office effective June 7, but will remain in the office for some time to assist with the heavy business that will accumulate with the construction of the new sewer system and to assist John Vaughn, clerk-designate, in becoming fully acquainted with the job.

Miss Marjorie E. Ellison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Ellison of Webster Groves, became the bride Saturday of A/3c John E. Moll, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moll of Sikeston, in a double-ring ceremony performed at the Webster Groves Baptist Church by the Rev. Robert White.

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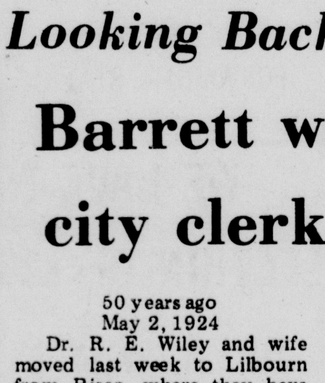
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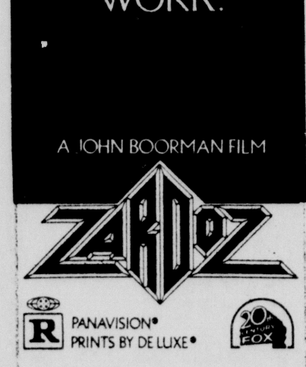
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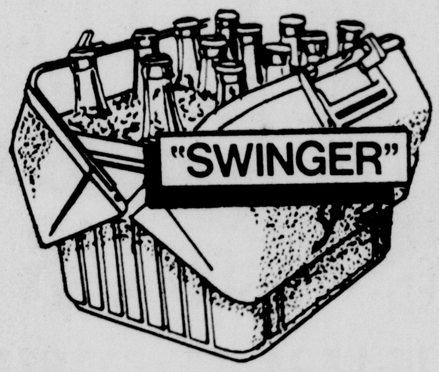
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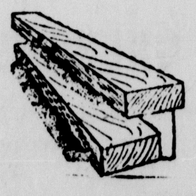
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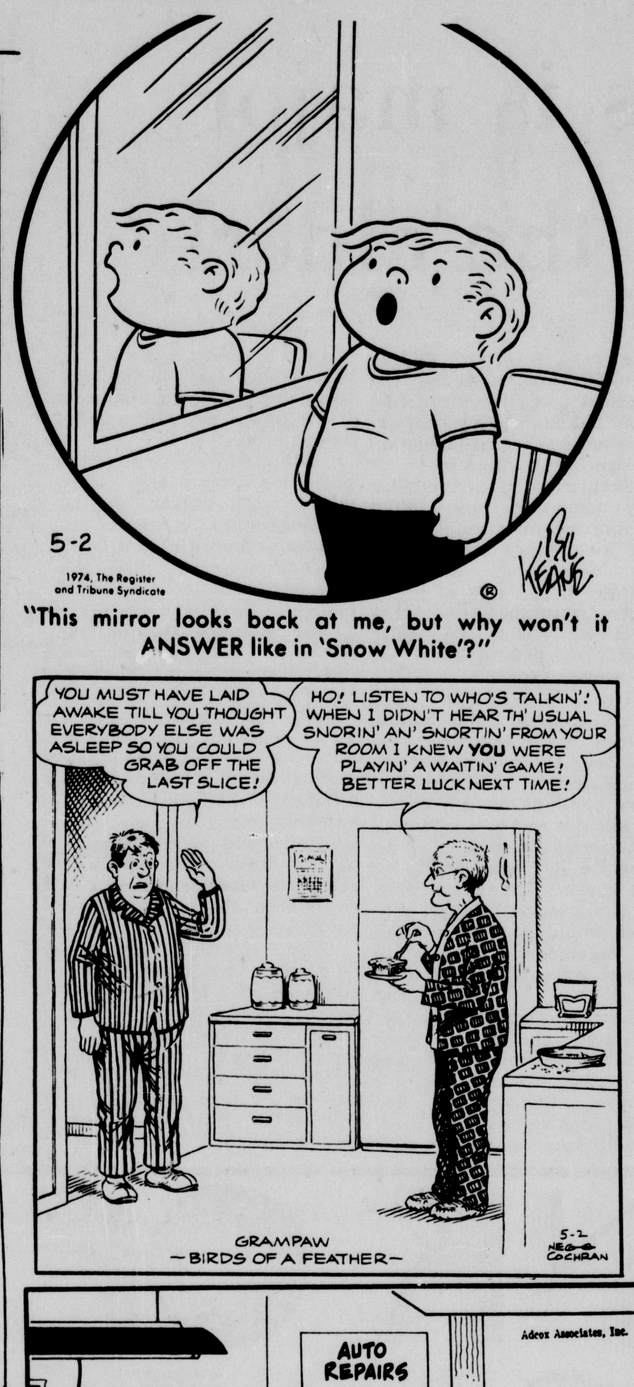

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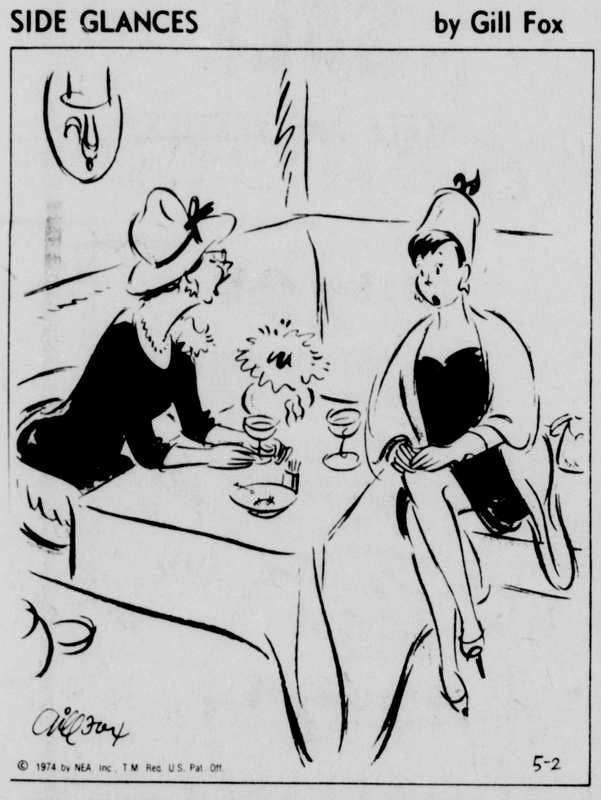

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14 Stage prompter
15 Upset
16 Symbolic in literature
18 "Moor of Venice"
20 Certain horses
21 Feel poorly
22 Distinct part
24 Long, low, stony ridge
26 Cease
27 Dickens' pen name
30 Each
32 Deduce
34 Closer
35 Roman officials (var.)
36 Bat wood
37 Clamps
39 Gasp
40 Heating device
41 Whale (comb. form; var.)
42 Thrall
45 Gathers grain for storage
49 Word from Poe's "Raven"
51 Putrefy
52 Smell
53 Cowley's "Pindaric ——"
54 Hail!
55 Deficiency
56 Scrooge's Christmas —
57 "Ben Hur" author Wallace

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5 Aaron ——
6 With every effort (2 wds.)
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8 Decamp
9 Emanation
10 Check
11 Circle parts
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19 Sea duck
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24 Genus of frogs
25 Anthropoids
26 European finch
27 Two-sided
28 Baking chamber
29 Piquancy
31 Middle part
33 Become mature
38 "Road to Mandalay" building
40 Turn inside out
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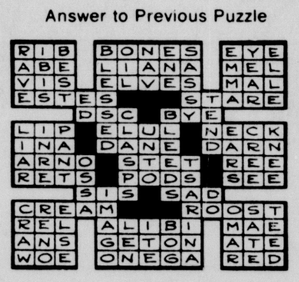

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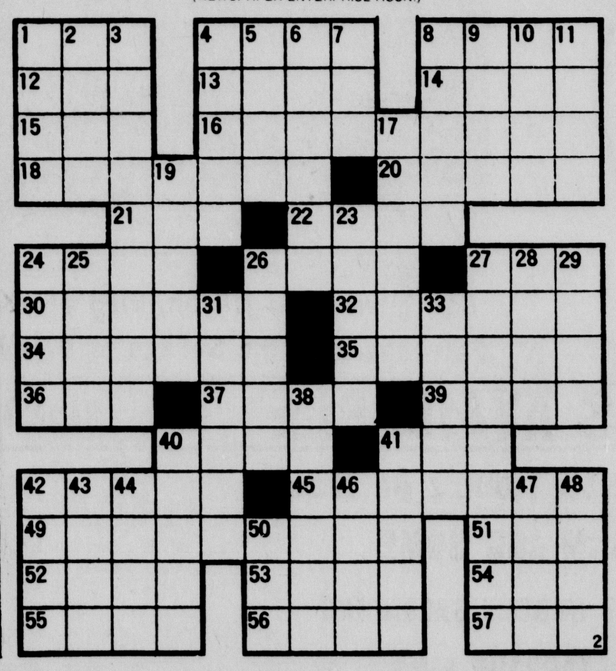

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Today in U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, May 2, the 122nd day of 1974. There are 243 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1945, the Soviets announced the fall of Berlin in World War II, and the Western Allies announced the surrender of Nazi troops in Italy and parts of Austria.

On this date:

In 1670, the Hudson's Bay Company was chartered by England.

In 1863, the Confederate general, Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson, was mistaken for a Union scout and shot and fatally wounded by his own soldiers during the Civil War battle of Chancellorsville, Va.

In 1890, the Oklahoma Territory was oranized.

In 1933, Adolf Hitler abolished labor unions in Germany.

In 1960, Caryl Chessman was executed in San Quentin prison in California after eight stays of execution.

In 1966, there was rioting in Israel during a visit by former West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer.

Ten years ago: Communist terrorists blew a hole in an American aircraft transport ship tied up at Saigon, and the ship sank.

Five years ago: A German who had been a key backer of Hitler in 1933, Franz von Papen, died at the age of 89.

One year ago: Former Secretary of the Treasury and Texas Governor John Connally switched from the Democratic to the Republican party.

Today's birthdays: King Hussein of Jordan is 39 years old. Bing Crosby is 70.

Thought for today: Nothing is really work unless you rather would be doing something else—James Barrie, Scottish writer, 1860-1937.

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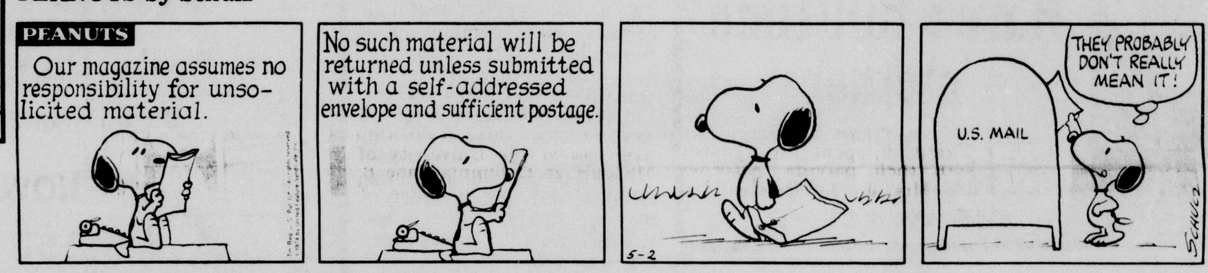

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Asian studios may turn in Karate chop for spirits

HONG KONG (AP) — The city that brought you Kung Fu is about to trade in the karate chop for spooks, spirits and the supernatural, Asian-style.

"We are not exactly following in the path of "The Exorcist," says an executive at Golden Harvest Studios, "but we think there are good supernatural subjects in Asia that would make good stories."

The executive, Shen Shan, a director of Hong Kong's second largest studio which gained prominence with such films as "Enter The Dragon" and "Five Fingers of Death," agreed with most industry watchers here that Kung Fu is on the wane.

"I would say that good Kung Fu pictures, like good Westerns, will go on and on," said Shan. "But the blind acceptance, the enthusiasm is over already."

The downfall of Kung Fu, he said, is due to overexposure.

"It happened in Italy, in Lebanon and the United States," said Shan. "Too many of the films were shown and the market became saturated. Now, they want Bruce Lee, but the other Kung Fu pictures have no where to go."

Lee, who died last year at 33, was the Kung Fu superstar. He left behind a completed picture, "The Way of the Dragon," to be released as "Return of the Dragon" in the United States.

Golden Harvest is trying to put an ending on Lee's unfinished film, "Game of Death," in production when he died. Susperstition has hampered its completion. With the eerie coincidence in the film's title, many Chinese actors want nothing more to do with it.

The occult and exorcism aren't news in Hong Kong. On a recent afternoon spiritualists and priests chanted incantations in a parking lot believed to be hexed by evil spirits. Local newspapers also reported the exorcism of a race track where "evil spirits" had tripped two horses severely injured in falls.

"A lot of film people are superstitious," said Shan. "But fortunately Raymond Chow is not."

Chow, 46, who broke away from the powerful Shaw Bros. studio four years ago to found Golden Harvest, is the crown prince of the Hong Kong movie empire. The debonaire Chow, a devotee of golf and fast cars, is the antithesis of his onetime boss, conservative movie czar Run Run Shaw. Some say Chow will eventually eclipse Shaw with his more modern approach to moviemaking.

"Golden Harvest is now half ex-Shaw people," said Shan who spoke for the studio in the absence of Chow, away on a movie project.

Last year Golden Harvest produced 14 movies, a far second to Shaw's 40. But profits of the two companies were closer, Shan said, and Chow is trying hard to narrow the gap further. "We figure we will be in the market this year and the year after with a better and better product," he said.

A key difference in the two companies, Shan concedes, is in facilities. Shaw's 43-acre mountaintop studio provides sufficient backgrounds for almost all his films. Chow, who has only a few sound stages and offices, films everything on location, usually in Korea or Taiwan. As Shan explained, "Shaw has a whole mountain. We have only half a mountain."

The Golden Harvest strategy for future growth appears dependent on spotting trends before they catch on. Thus, the plan for occult films plus a foray into the area of bizarre documentaries patterned after "Mondo Cane."

In both areas, censorship is likely to require different versions of the films for domestic and export distribution.

Rising prices is major problem for the elderly

Washington Report

WASHINGTON D.C. — The month of May has been designated to honor older Americans. It provides us with an opportunity to focus attention on the number one problem for most senior citizens -- inflation.

Latest government statistics reveal prices are increasing at the fastest rate in 25 years. For the entire first quarter of 1974, consumer prices increased at an annual rate of 14.5 pervent. Inflation was most severe in food and energy, with grocery prices up 18.3 percent and fuel and oil and coal rates up 57.7 percent in just one year.

These dramatic increases in the cost of living pose problems for all Americans, but they are most serious for those living on social security fixed pensions and retirement incomes.

The 18.3 percent increase is a bitter fact to retired persons who spend an average of 25 to 30 percent of their incomes on food. The average American family spends only 16 percent of its income for food.

In many instances, senior citizens have to spend up to 50 percent of their monthly incomes on housing, including rent and utilities. For most families, those costs represent only 25 percent of their spendable income. Medical and pharmaceutical expenses for the senior citizens also are well above average.

The Congress has taken several steps recently to relieve the economic pressures on the elderly. We approved a 7 percent raise in social security benefits which started in April and another 4 percent increase is scheduled for July. For those with seriously limited resources who must rely on the Federal Supplemental Security Income, monthly benefits are scheduled to increase in July from $140 to $146 for an individual and from $210 to $219 for a couple.

Legislation has been passed by both the House and Senate, H. R. 11739, to roll back unreasonable increases in propane gas prices which have created an unbearable squeeze for many elderly in rural and small town Missouri. As approved by the House- Senate conference committee, this Federal Energy Administration Act would limit propane prices to those of May 15, 1973 plus pass through of increased production- related costs.

Earlier this year I urged the Federal Energy Office Administrator to revise the regulations which had permitted exhorbitant propane price increases. This legislation is a significant achievement.

Such steps at best provide only temporary relief from inflationary pressures. We must find long- range solutions to the causes of continued increases in the cost of living.

An important step in that direction would be more careful expenditure of government funds.

The President's 1975 budget exceeds $300 billion. Deficits in the last five years have been the highest for any Administration in our history. If we continue on this course we will destroy our economy.

Congress is beginning to recognize its responsibility to help control Federal spending. The Congressional Budget Act, which would establish the kind of machinery needed to control expenditures, is now before the House- Senate conference committee. Earlier this year, the Senate took significant action by voting down the pay increase for Senators, Congressmen and other top government officials.

Additional steps can and should be taken. I have long urged that we redirect our increasingly limited resources from foreign aid to the needs here at home.

Although we now have the power to destroy any enemy which might attack us, the Administration continues to request unprecedented defense expenditures in what the President refers to as an era of peace.

For national security we need to maintain weapons systems strong enough to deter aggression, but national security also depends on a sound economy and the faith of the people in their government. Unnecessary military expenditures on weapons programs that are later scrapped harm the value of the dollar both here and abroad. Such expenditures can be reduced without weakening our military capability.

Wise, effective action to reduce unnecessary government spending will benefit all Americans, but especially those who have earned the right to enjoy their golden years, and at the same time help control the spiraling inflation, an effort vital for our national future.

Writing helps fight lonliness

NEW YORK (AP) — Alan Alda has a system for fighting homesickness when he's in Los Angeles filming "M-A-S-H." He writes. But because of this system he'll have to work doubly hard this summer and next fall.

He now has a second CBS series to worry about. It's "We'll Get By," a half-hour comedy show coming up in September. Alda created it, has written six scripts for it and will be its co-producer.

Alda, who lives in suburban New Jersey with his wife and three kids when "M-A-S-H" isn't shooting, was at home with them, toiling at the typewriter, when asked how he found time to write the new show.

"Well, I'm out there (Hollywood) by myself," he said. "And because my family's back here in New Jersey, I keep myself busy with work so I don't get lonely. So I'd write at night and on weekends."

The new show isn't the first TV writing he's done. The Manhattan-born actor said he'd written two "M-A-S-H" scripts that were filmed and a pilot for another proposed series ABC turned down last year. The proposed series was about New York politics, Alda said.

Was it also a comedy?

"It would have to be, wouldn't it?" he asked.

"We'll Get By" has an unlikely premise for a comedy series. It's about a sales engineer, his wife and three children. Like Alda, they live in suburban New Jersey.

"There isn't anything about it that sounds like a funny idea, but I think that's one of its strong points," Alda said. "It's not a gimmick show.

"It's an attempt to show, with a sense of humor, people really living in a family. Which hasn't been done yet. There are no funny 'situations,' no cute kids with cute problems."

Alda, who is co-producing the show with Marc Merson, will supervise the script-writing. He'll head back to Los Angeles in mid-May to start production both on "M-A-S-H" and the new series.

DeMolay officers to be installed

DEXTER — Installation of new DeMolay officers will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Masonic Temple, 262 S. Walnut St.

Bryan Phillips will be installed as master councilor; Brian Besecker, senior councilor; and Dale Atchley as junior councilor. Seventeen appointed officers will also be installed.

A reception will follow the installation ceremonies, sponsored by the DeMolay Mother's Club.

Traffic is now so bad in once-isolated Lapland that herdsmen are fitting their reindeer with small reflectors which shine in headlight beams. More than 1,000 reindeer reportedly are killed by cars each year.

16 area students will graduate from ASU

JONESBORO, Ark.--- Sixteen students from the Sikeston area of Missouri are among 974 students, including 100 graduate students, who will graduate from Arkansas State University at the annual spring commencement exercises May 10 in Indian Field House.

Dr. Carl R. Reng, president of ASU, will confer degrees on the record graduating class.

Of the 974 candidates for degrees, 853 are from Arkansas, 78 from Missouri, 40 from 23 other states and three from foreign countries.

Candidates from the Sikeston area include:

Karen L. Woodall, F. Lee Beckman and Gale Robinson of Bernie; James R. Dooley of Delta; Jamie S. Lawrence of Gideon; Steven K. Howren, Anne Franklin, Charlotte A. Plunkett, Delores D. Plunkett and Calvin T. Ratliff III of Hayti; David L. Drake and Peggy L. Evans of Malden; Sara J. Nelson of Morley; Oda L. Scott of New Madrid; Ellen J. Mann of Parma and Anita S. Ray of Portageville.

LONG-BOARD DAYS

WASHINGTON (AP) — In a National Geographic article, Robert Laxalt writes of long-board days in the Lost Sierra. A major ingredient of speed skiing was "dope," as ski wax was called. One of the last of the long-board racers told Mr. Laxalt:

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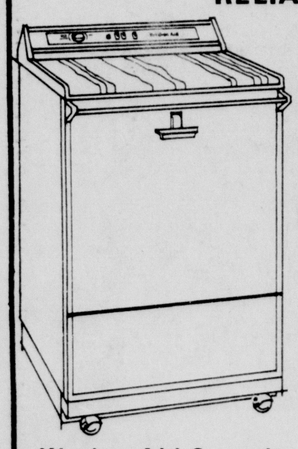

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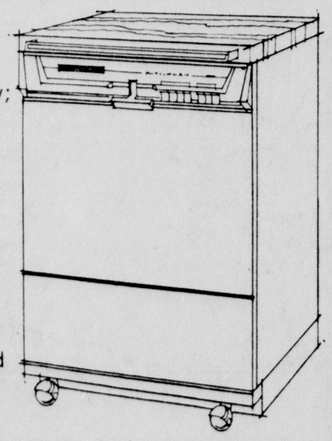

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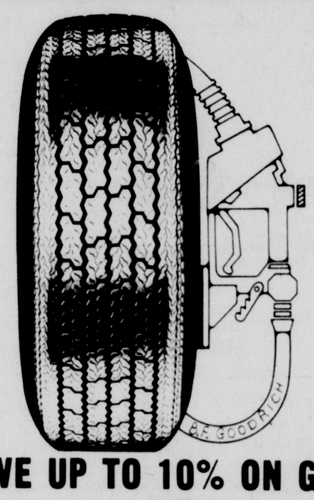

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Wage law brings pay increases to 4 million

The nation's new minimum wage law took effect Wednesday, bringing immediate pay raises to more than four million of the country's lowest- paid workers, including some 88,000 farmworkers and 1.5 million domestic service workers.

The new Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) amendments, signed into law by President Richard Nixon April 8, added $1.9 billion a year to the pay of low-income workers and raised to nearly 56 million the total number of workers covered under the act.

About 88,000 farmworkers covered by the old $1.30 minimum wage must now be paid at least $1.60 an hour, as of Wednesday. Other increases required under the act will be $1.80, beginning Jan. 1, 1975; $2, beginning Jan 1, 1976; $2.20, beginning Jan. 1, 1977; and $2.30, beginning, Jan. 1, 1978. Overtime provisions do not apply to this group.

More than 1.5 million domestic service workers have gained first- time minimum wage coverage under the new law.

Workers in this category are classified as those who work in and about private homes, including cooks, housekeepers, butlers, valets, chauffeurs, gardeners, handymen and other workers of this type.

Babysitters, for whom domestic service is a casual form of employment, are not covered under the new law, nor are people classified as companions for elderly or handicapped persons.

The minimum wage for domestic workers covered under the act increased to $1.90 Wednesday and will be raised to $2 an hour Jan. 1, 1975, $2.20 on Jan. 1, 1976, and $2.30 on Jan. 1, 1977.

Domestic workers are among the 2,848,000 nonfarm workers brought under the act in 1967 or later who will be increased by the above rate schedule.

Other employment categories subject to the above rates, other than domestic service workers, include:

Laundry and dry cleaning establishments; construction enterprises with gross annual business of less than $350,000; hospitals, nursing homes, preschool centers, schools and colleges (both public and private) and federal, state, local and interstate governments and agencies; and other enterprises with annual gross sales or business of at least $250,000 (such as hotels, motels and restaurants).

Under the new amendments, nearly 1.4 million nonfarm workers, who were covered by federal minimum wage laws prior to Feb. 1, 1967, will receive the following wage increases: $2 an hour, beginning Wednesday, $2.10 an hour on Jan. 1, 1975, and $2.30 an hour on Jan. 1, 1976.

Employment categories, for which this rate schedule applies, include:

Employes individually engaged in or producing goods for interstate commerce; retail or service enterprises with annual gross sales of at least $1 million and a $250,000 annual inflow of interstate goods; local transit enterprises with annual gross sales of at least $1 million.

Also, construction enterprises with a gross annual business of at least $350,000; gasoline service station with annual gross sales of at least $250,000; and other establishments with individually covered employes in enterprises with gross sales of at least $1 million.

Other highlights of the amendments include overtime pay provisions for 8.4 million workers not previously covered, first-time minimum wage coverage for more than 1.7 million federal employes and nearly 3.4 million state and local government workers and expansion of the Equal Pay and Age Discrimination in Employment Act to include all Federal, state and local government employes.

The new act also broadens existing provisions allowing employment of students at a subminimum rate to include employment by institutions of higher education and strengthens and tighetns child labor restrictions with fines of up to $1,000 for each violations of child labor provisions.

Special overtime pay provisions were included for policemen and firemen, to

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Diabetes branch to be organized

An organizational meeting to establish a branch of the SeMo Diabetes Association in the Sikeston area is scheduled at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Security Federal Savings and Loan Association community room, 820 N. Main St.

SeMo Diabetes Association is a chapter of Missouri Diabetes Association, Inc. and an affiliate of American Diabetes Association, Inc.

The purpose of the organization is to promote the welfare of people who have diabetes. In order to do this the association carries on several programs, which include education, detection and research. The branch association would work with local people.

Additional information may be obtained by writing to Mrs. Annabelle Merideth, Route Three, Box 67, Sikeston, Mo., 63801, or phoning 471-8474.

The SeMo Diabetes Association held its first meeting March 17 at Missouri Delta Community Hospital. The main business was to accept the bylaws of the American Diabetes Association for chapters and elect officers.

Officers elected were Dr. Bennie Till of Poplar Bluff, president; Dr. T. W. Henderson of Dexter, president- elect; Aubrey VanDover of Poplar Bluff, vice president; Rose Ellen Harper of Dexter, secretary; and Cecil Unger of Jackson, treasurer.

Elected to the board of directors were Dr. Till, Dr. M. M. Fuller of Cape Girardeau and Robert Jones of Mounds, Ill., for three-year terms; Annabelle Merideth of Sikeston, Harold H. Dugger of Cape Girardeau and Becky Hunt of Dexter, two- year terms; and Lillian Clark of Poplar Bluff, Noble Stephens of Dexter and Joe Marsh of Sikeston, one- year terms.

The SeMo Diabetes Association is a voluntary health organization. Membership in the organization is by family membership. Each family is kept informed on current research, patient education and public education.

It was decided to try to establish branch organizations in Poplar Bluff, Dexter, Sikeston and Cape Girardeau to secure the attention of county health units and contact residents in each area.

SeMo Press to meet next week in Cape

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Members of the Southeast Missouri Press Association will gather here for the association's annual meeting May 10 and 11 at Ramada Inn.

Max E. Thompson of Joplin, executive assistant of the Empire District Electric Co., will be the featured speaker May 11 at the 7 p.m. dinner.

The meeting opens May 10 with a buffet followed by entertainment and a social hour.

The association's business sessions are scheduled the morning of May 11, along with election of officers and announcement of the location of next year's meeting.

William Bray of Columbia, director of the Missouri Press Service, will speak during the business session.

Wendell Crow, instructor of journalism at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, Ill., will address the group on newspaper makeup during the meeting.

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Horseshoes anyone?

About once a month, 90-year- old Charlie Stauffer of Charleston drives to Sikeston to match horseshoe pitching skills with 43- year- old Wendell Farley, 516 Wilson St. Stauffer and Farley are nearly matched in everything but age. The games are just about even, with point canceling point and each man often throwing double ringers, sometimes both doubling to cancel all points.

Horseshoe pitching is not the only sport in which Stauffer remains active. He bowls regularly and carries an average of between 135 and 140 pins per game. Recently, he changed from rolling a 15- pound ball to a 10-pounder. He says that makes the game less tiring.

Active at 90

Charlie Stauffer of Charleston, left, and Wendell Farley of Sikeston (top photo) carefully check the lie of a horseshoe to determine points. Ninety-year - old Stauffer (bottom photo) lets go of what will probably be a ringer. (Daily Standard photos)

Miss Dexter contest set

DEXTER— Judging in the annual Miss Dexter contest will begin at 7:30 p.m. May 25 in the high school auditorium, according to Patty Myers, president of the Jaycee Wives. The crowning of Miss Dexter will climax week- long festivities connected with the annual Strawberry Festival which will be observed May 20- 25.

The Dexter Jaycee Wives are sponsoring the event.

Over 125 expected at camporee

ORAN — About 125 to 150 Boy Scouts from the Okeechobee District will gather for the annual spring camporee Friday, Saturday and Sunday on the Durward Dover farm about one and one- half miles northeast of Oran.

Cub Scouts from the district, numbering between 150 and 200, will attend the camporee all day Saturday and boys in the Webelos Den will spend Saturday night at the camp.

Many activities have been planned for scouts attending the camporee. Boy Scouts will check into the campsite between 4:30 and 6:30 p.m. Friday. Following supper and clean- up, Dr. Harley Rutledge of Cape Girardeau will show slides and talk to scouts about unidentified flying objects.

Saturday's activities begin at 7 a.m. with reveille, followed by breakfast. At 9 a.m. scouts will begin working on their field problems.

Work on field problems will continue through the afternoon. Early Saturday evenings scouts will attend a demonstration on arrowhead making.

Parents and guardians of scouts may attend the campfire at 8:30 p.m. Saturday in an effort to gain a better insight into the scouting program.

Sunday activities include morning religious services, a tug of war district championship contest and award presentation at 1:30 p.m., after which the camporee ends.

Saturday activities for Cub Scouts will begin with registration at 9:30 a.m. and include sessions on kite making and flying, Indian dance, nature study, boating and fishing rules and rod and reel use in the morning, followed by organized sports contests in the afternoon. Webelos will work on the outdoorsman, naturalist, forestry and athletic badges in the morning.

The camporee staff includes John Peel of Sikeston, chairman; Ted Phipps and Carl Darnell of Charleston, Durward Dover, Duke Perry and G. W. Robinson of Oran and Roy Nall of Sikeston, staff members; and Mike Euer of East Prairie, campfire chief.

The Rev. Tom Bass of Sikeston is Cub Scout field day chairman.

Name omitted

Incumbent County Collector Tom Marshall is unopposed in his bid for the Democratic Party nomination in the Aug. 6 primary election. His name was inadvertently omitted from a list of candidates for Scott County offices which appeared in Wednesday's edition of The Daily Standard.

Campbell youth seriously hurt

A Campbell youth was seriously injured and three other persons received minor injuires in two area traffic accidents Wednesday, according to the highway patrol.

Charles Sanford, 17, received serious injuries at 8:05 p.m. at the intersection of Highways 62 and 53 in Campbell when the car in which he was riding — driven by Charles Musgrove, 17, of Campbell — was struck in the side.

The accident occurred when a westbound car driven by Omer Wilkes, 62, of Flint, Mich., failed to stop at the intersection and struck the right side of the Musgrove auto as it turned into a private drive. The Musgrove car then struck a post in the driveway.

Wilkes and Musgrove suffered minor injuries and were taken to Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in Kennett, along with Sanford.

Randall Milton Sanders, 17, of Kelso received minor injuries at 7 p.m. on Interstate 55 at the south city limits of Cape Girardeau when his southbound motorcycle skidded on wet pavement, ran off the road and struck a guardrail.

He was taken to St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Mower stolen

A lawn mower was stolen at the Charles Swinney home, 203 Daniel St., between 7:30 p.m. Tuesday and 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, according to report received by the police.

The lawn mower, valued at $30, was taken from a shed.

Quick results

Mrs. Russell Knauer, Route Two, "never saw anything work so fast" as the classified advertising section of The Daily Standard.

In her advertisement, Mrs. Knauer offered free puppies. All seven of the puppies were given away the first evening the ad appeared. She also reported that she had 10 calls about the puppies that first day.

For quick results, use the classified advertising section of The Daily Standard. Telephone 471- 4141 daily from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday until noon, or visit The Daily Standard office at 205 S. New Madrid St.

Nixon given 6 more days

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon's lawyers, fighting a Watergate subpoena, were given six more days today in a move to avoid turning over any more tapes and documents.

U.S. District Judge John J. Sirica set a hearing for May 8 on White House arguments that Nixon should not have to honor a sweeping subpoena from the Watergate special prosecutor which had been due today.

Sirica gave the prosecutor's office and attorneys for seven defendants in the Watergate cover-up trial until 2 p.m. next Monday to file answers to a White House motion that the subpoena for materials covering 64 presidential conversations be quashed. A hearing on all the motions was set for May 8.

James St. Clair, Nixon's chief Watergate-impeachment lawyer, said before filing the motion that the White House already had given up all that Watergate probers need to finish their business.

The confrontation with special prosecutor Leon Jaworski followed close on Nixon's surrender of 1,308 pages of transcript to the House Judiciary Committee for its impeachment inquiry in response to another subpoena.

Hirschowitz seeks judge seat

ORAN--- Louie Hirschowitz, now serving in his fourth year as second district associate judge of the Scott County Court, announces his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for presiding judge of the County Court in the Aug. 6 primary election.

Hirschowitz was elected to the County Court in 1969. Prior to that time he had served two terms as mayor of Oran. He was born and reared in Oran and has been a life- long resident of Scott County.

For 25 years, Hirschowitz has operated a mercantile business in Oran. He also owns a farm with 97 tillable acres.

He is a veteran of World War II, during which he served four and a half years.

Organizations in which he holds membership include the Southeast Missouri Judges Association, Bootheel Regional Planning Commission, Bootheel Law Enforcement Assistance Council, Missouri Association of Counties, which he serves as a director, and is a past president and member of the Scott County Mayors Association.

Louie Hirschowitz

In announcing his candidacy, Hirschowitz said:

"I have always tried my best to be a good citizen and to work hard for my community and our Country...I have always believed in having honest public officials. For that reason, I want all of you to know that 36 years ago, in 1938, I did enter a plea of guilty in New Madrid County to a charge of receiving stolen property. I was 20 years old at the time.

"Three friends and I traveled in my car to a dance in New Madrid County. During the course of the evening someone else stole a suitcase of used clothing and placed it on the floor of the backseat of my car. I was not aware of the theft or that the suitcase was even in my car until we arrived back in Oran and one of the young men removed the suitcase from the backseat of the car.

"I don't know to this day who actually stole the suitcase. However, my attorney advised me that considering all the circumstances I should enter a plea of guilty to the charge and be placed on probation. This I did, and nothing further was ever said to me about the matter."

Hirschowitz said he wanted voters to know of the matter so they will feel free to personally ask him any questions concerning it.

Show-Me-Rental opens

Show- Me Rental Land, 524 W. Murray Lane, specializing in rental of tools and machinery, held a ribbon- cutting ceremony this morning to mark its official grand opening. Participating in the ceremony, from left, are J. F. "Pat" Patterson of Caruthersville, Clem Beal, Doyle Horne, Ned Matthews, Mayor Frank Ferrell, co- owner Bob Patterson, Bob Dyer, Allen Blanton and co- owner Martha Patterson. (Daily Standard photo)

It's inside...

Over 1,500 Girl Scouts will participate in the Cotton Boll Council Round-up this weekend at Spring Valley near Malden. Turn to ... page 5.

Sikeston police department is stressing bike safety during May in observance of American Bike Month. Turn to ... page 9.

The Missouri Tourism Commission has a new pilot program to provide timely travel information statewide. Turn to ... page 16.

Rick Eisenbach leads Sikeston to an 8-1 baseball victory over Charleston. For sports, turn to ... pages 13, 14 and 15.

...and outside

Partly cloudy and mild tonight, low near 60. Partly cloudy and little temperature change on Friday, chance for showers late in the day. High in the mid to upper 70s. Probabilities of rain 30 per cent Friday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Cooler than normal Saturday through Monday. Lows in the 40s and highs in the 60s. Little or no precipitation expected.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 74 and 51 degrees. Rain measured .15 inch.

Sunset today ..... 7:48 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...6:03 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow.4:06 a.m.
Full Moon .....May 6

PROMINENT STARS

Betelgeuse low in west--- 10:06 p.m. Vega high overhead at moonset.

VISIBLE PLANETS

Saturn sets..... 11:22 p.m.
Mars sets..... 11:57 p.m.
Jupiter rises.....3:41 a.m.
Venus low in east--- 4:39 a.m.

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Thursday, May 2 — 1915, Potter Fenwick invents the spring- driven glut creating the first glut on the market.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

It's about time to dig in the garden to find the rake you left there last fall.

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A CHOICE
FOR CONGRESS

Now that Congress is back to work following its Easter recess, we watch with a certain foreboding to see what comes next.

The 435 members of the House and approximately one-third of the 100 Senators are up for reelection in November. For them in particular the temptation will be great to put the critical needs of the nation second to their own political survival, especially at a time when there is every indication that it will be a tough year for incumbents.

It is the American voter today who is in the driver's seat. He has a better chance to make his voice heard now than he has had in many years. We urge other voters to join us in making it clear that those legislators who will have the best chance of being returned to Capital Hill in November are those whose records indicate they have put service to the country ahead of service to themselves.

Issues which urgently require congressional action include the appropriations bills necessary to run the government; basic decisions on the adequacy of defense spending; campaign funding reform; national health insurance; and efforts to close the U. S. energy gap, incuding bills to impose a heavy tax on excess oil profits and a phaseout of the oil depletion allowance.

Some members of Congress have made it clear that they intend to campaign against a sorely weakened President Nixon rather than on the basis of their own contributions toward better government. We suggest that such a blatantly political approach is not acceptable.

Regardless of Watergate, there is still a nation out there to be governed. And there is still time in this session for Congress to pass many badly needed pieces of legislation. In November, we hope voters take careful note of which legislators did in fact work for their passage.

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NATURE'S WEED-
KILLING WAYS

The use of chemical weed killers on your lawn is sometimes necessary as a last resort, and when it is be sure to follow the label directions carefully. But there are times when nature can do the job for you.

The American Association of Nurserymen points out that maintaining good healthy soil and cutting grass to a proper length can keep crabgrass and other weeds out of the law. For blue grass, cut no lower than two -and- a-half inches. For bermuda or zoysia type lawns, one-half to three- quarters of an inch.

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It now turns out that the notorious "milk lobby" which poured funds into the Nixon re-election campaign was "bipartisan" although the TV news commentators haven't given this phase equal coverage. Indeed, the Associated Milk Producers, Inc., gave a total of $126,000 to Hubert Humphrey in his 1968 presidential campaign and $25,000 for mailing lists in Sen. Humphrey's 1972 Maryland and Florida presidential primaries.

Another recipient of the milk lobby was Chairman Wilbur Mills of the powerful House Ways and Means Committee. Mills, whose 1972 drive for the Democratic presidential nomination got nowhere, has been reported by the AMPI that $5,000 in $100 bills were flown in 1971 to Little Rock in an AMPI plane for Mills' use. In addition, the report is said to show $12,500 in contributions for the Arkansas Voter Registration Association, reportedly established by Mills to raise funds for voter education.

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When a man goes visiting, it is to see a place when a woman goes, it is to see people.

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Remember that people do not always agree with all your ideas, or all your acts. While you are enthusiastic, those around you may be disgusted.

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Business methods have changed. In the early days it was customary for people to buy what they needed and pay when they got the money. One day a customer walked into a store and asked what his bill was. "Pay me what is right," said the merchant, "I don't keep no books."

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According to the National Association of Manufacturers, "Congress has been urged by American industry to reform the public expenditure process in order to bring spending under control and achieve fiscal responsibility in the federal government. Legislative spending procedures should provide the time and the means to review the total federal financial position and consider the implications of all the spending and revenue issues Congress should obtain and use information about program effectiveness future cost projections, and revenue and spending forecasts in order to make more rational decisions about which federal programs should be continued or disbanded. Spending priorities should be established to assure sound, economic and productive management of public resources, and to maintain control over present and future spending and taxation."

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Prof. Sam Harbin says we can all take lessons from the baker - he never loafs until after he has made his dough.

Huffaker, News & Observer, Raleigh, N.C. (Rothco)

TOMORROW
MAY 3 — FRIDAY

CONSTITUTION DAY or SWIETO TRZECIEGO MAJO. May 3. Poland. Celebrates ratification of Poland's first constitution, 1794.

CONSTITUTION MEMORIAL DAY. May 3. Japan. National holiday.

DAY OF THE HOLY CROSS. May 3. Mexico. Celebrated especially by construction workers.

MAY FELLOWSHIP DAY. May 3. Theme: Explore New Paths. Sponsor: Church Women United, 475 Riverside Dr., New York, N. Y. 10027.

SHENANDOAH APPLE BLOSSOM FESTIVAL. May 3-5. Purpose: Celebration of the arrival of springtime and a new year for the great apple industry of Shenandoah Valley. Parades, historical pageant, band concerts, horse show, celebrities. Sponsor: Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival, Inc., Box 699, Winchester, Va. 22601.

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MORE SENSIBLE
EASTER

Easter was cold and windy, but it was also more sensible this year - from the standpoint of dress.

Remember when everyone thought they had to be wearing a new "Easter Bonnett" or they felt they were way behind their more affluent neighbors?

The present no-hat styles have taken care of that.

But in other dress also there is less emphasis on new Easter outfits, even though many were to be seen Sunday.

More emphasis is being put on the true meaning of Easter - a time to remember the Resurrection and worship, rather than a day for parading new clothing. Perhaps the continuing unpleasant Easter Sundays of the last several years have had something to do with the changing customs, but whatever the cause, it's all to the good.

Paris Appeal

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WHERE IS THE
CLAMOR FOR
NATIONAL HEALTH
INSURANCE?

For at least three years, Sen. Edward Kennedy (D.-Mass.) has been peddling his cradle- to grave health insurance program -- a plan to provide free medical care for everyone without any reliance on the private insurance industry -- but now the Massachusetts lawmaker has made a fast turnabout. Instead of his program of $40 billion in new spending, he has come up with a compromise proposal (costing less than $10 billion) close to the version put fourth by the Administration. Fundamentally, the Nixon measure would force American business to buy health insurance programs for employes in accordance with federal regulations. The governnent would also subsidize insurance for low-income citizens.

The question is, however, why did Kennedy switch? And is there any great demand to have the government intrude into affairs of health, even as deeply as the Nixon proposal would allow? Contrary to the propaganda of a few years ago, it seems as if the public is not very concerned about getting the federal government into the business of providing new health benefits.

Kennedy's decision to change course, as Stuart Auerbach wrote in the Washington Post, was due to a variety of reasons, including the lack of demand for his huge and costly health plan.

Despite massive efforts by Big Labor and cross - country hearings conducted by Sen. Kennedy, the Teddy measure never got off the ground or engendered grass-roots support.

Indeed, reported Auerbach, Kennedy and labor "had waged a valiant effort to drum up grass- roots support for their original bill. It was one of the few projects that had enthusiastic support of all major warring factions of Big Labor -- the UAW, the AFL-CIO and the Teamsters.

"Despite this effort, polls show that Americans are not unduly concerned about health legislation and medical care unless they are sick. Health failed to emerge as a major issue in four surveys taken this year and last year by the Gallup Poll." Furthermore, a Washington Post poll last month revealed that people their medical care.

In the area of health reform, stressed Auerbach, public opinion seems to have contrary to what politicians expected. In the late 1960s, when Teddy was pressing for cradle- to grave coverage, the American citizen was concerned over the rising cost of medical care. But in the 1970s, for numerous reasons, medical prices were not rising so rapidly.

"The fight for the original Kennedy bill," says Auerbach, "really lost momentum during the 1972 presidential election. It had to start all over again in 1973."

In other words, there is no clamoring for any radical alteration of America's health care. Hence, more conservative lawmakers are saying that Congress should not only reject the original Kennedy measure, but the Nixon proposal as well. For both approaches would bring major changes in America's health care system -- and the cost would be unbearable to those who pay.

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Sign in Golf Clubhouse Shower "Do not wash balls with bath towels. Use wire brush."

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"A grandmother," says little Kenneth, "is a nice old lady that sits in a rocking chair in front of the fireplace and keeps your mother from hitting you."

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IN TRIPLICATE. The Senate Select Small Business Subcommittee on Government Regulation recently issued a report detailing problems imposed on the nation's 8½ million small businesses by Federal redtape and paperwork. It estimated the cost of filling out some 6,000 information- gathering forms at between $18 and $50 billion a year.

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A FORMIDABLE
TASK

If civilized society wishes to continue on a rising curve of well-being, all men must be knowledgeable. They must know a great deal about many complex subjects. One of these is energy. The day is long past when the public can live happily in ignorance of what keeps the wheels turning. For this reason, concise information is coming from many sources that tells in ABC language the story of energy and its bearing on our daily lives.

A paper, presented by a major oil company, entitled "The National Energy Position" is typical of the massive educational effort taking place. The paper is a reflection of the petroleum industry's awareness that only an educated public will be fitted to play an intelligent role in resolving problems that threaten future energy supplies -- problems of regulation, taxation, pollution control, exploration incentives and many others. The need to solve these problems is emphasized by a few facts dealing with energy demand as set forth in the oil company's position paper. The United States, for example, with one sixteenth of the world's population consumes one third of the world's energy. We heat and cool more homes, travel more miles and produce more goods than any other nation. Energy cooks our food, lights our way and runs our machines. Energy consumption doubled in the last 20 years. The demand is expected to double again in the 15 years between 1970 and 1985 -- increasing from the equivalent of 31.8 million barrels of crude oil daily to 62 million barrels.

As the position paper says, "This increased demand is not at government dictate. Nor is it determined by industry. Society itself makes the demand and sets the pattern for growth." It is easy to call for an end to growth. That is the path of defeat It is not so easy to instill the knowledge so necessary to solving the problems of growth and the preservation of civilization. The latter, with respect to energy, is the formidable task upon which the petroleum industry has embarked.

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A wealthy Texan ordered his chauffeur to make a U turn in the middle of the business district as he had forgotten something at home and needed it in a hurry.

The chauffeur informed him it was strictly forbidden to make such a turn in that area.

"Then stop the first Cadillac coming in our direction and buy it," the Texan ordered sharply.

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"PUBLIC" MEANS
EVERYONE

Coastal zone management -- and this includes offshore oil resource development -- has become an issue that reaches to the foundation of the American economic and property ownership system. Three out of four Americans live in the states which border on the coastal zone. Forty per cent of U. S. manufacturing plants are located in coastal counties, together fishing takes place in coastal waters. From the standpoint of the recreation industry, the coastal zones are host each year to 30 million Americans who swim, 11 million who fish and 44 million who boat.

But, and here is the issue in coastal zone management as presented by the president of a major oil company: "Up to date, most of the governmental emphasis has been directed toward imposing restrictions rather than creating opportunities -- toward telling the property owner what he cannot do rather than protecting what he can do ... I am convinded that the broadest range of public and private benefits can be obtained through a regulatory philosophy which encourages creativity and innovation in the use of their lands by individual property owners. We should view the coastal zones not as problems, but as opportunities."

Currently, the emphasis is on sterile prohibition rather than guidance within the framework of common and statutory laws that have protected fundamental rights of individuals and property for centuries. Callously abrogating these rights will serve neither the public interest nor the causyof environmental improvement. Of coastal zone management, the oil company executive concludes: "There should be a balancing of national interests ... When we speak of the 'public interest', we should remember that private property owners are part of that 'public'."

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"We have a new picture window," a housewife told a visitor. "It brings the great outdoors right into our living room."

"We get the same results cheaper," the visitor countered, "with our son's muddy feet."

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Cleopatra Was Queen of Denial

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Our Unabashed Dictionary defines confidence as picking up a girl who's already walking home from a ride.

Don't knock procrastination. It saves lots of useless work.

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Speaking of devaluation, whatever became of last summer's snapshots?

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"I saw your 17 - year - old son at the beach yesterday cavorting with a blonde in a bikini."

"What did you expect at his age, a sand pail and a shovel?"

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NEW STUDY LAUNCHED
ON LITTER CONTROL

A comprehensive research program designed to develop a new systems approach to litter control was announced at the 20th Anniversary meeting of Keep America Beautiful, Inc., in New York City.

KAB has contracted with Scientific Resources, of Morristown, N. J., and its Human Resources Institute to design the new research program.

Roger W. Powers, executive vice president of Keep American Beautiful said that, for the first time, "all factors involved in litter prevention will be studied simultaneously and this project will bring together on a coordinated basis community and scientific skills with the force of citizen awareness and action.

"Chief factor to be studied will be the human behavioral aspects of littering," he added. "But the project will also seek answers in the physical and situational areas of collection and disposal, street sweeping and law enforcement practices relating to littering."

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POPULATION
EXPLOSION

A man whose wife had just given birth to triplets burst into the room where the newborn tots were kept. "Get out of here!" shouted the nurse. "You're not sterile!"

"Lady," said the fellow, looking proudly at his offspring. "Your telling me."

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"Now, just look at my suit," a man remarked at a bar. "The wool was grown in Australia, the cloth woven in England, the buttons came from Japan, the thread from Indian, the lining from Italy and the suit was made in Canada, but I bought it in the United States."

"Well," spoke up someone, "what's so all-fired remarkable about that?"

"Just think of all those people making a living," was the response, "out of something I haven't paid for yet!"

H. L. Hunt

FEDERAL LAND CONTROL

A particularly ominous result of the "environment and ecology" crusade has been its use as a convenient excuse for sweeping expansion of federal land use control. It is hard to imagine a more direct assault against the principle of federalism and the division of powers than to give the federal government effective authority over how local lands shall be used.

A major new bill for this purpose, the Land Use Planning Act, was recently approved by the House Interior Committee over the vigorous opposition of two right- side Congressmen, Robert Bauman of Maryland and Steven Symms of Idaho. It provides federal funds to encourage states to draw up a "comprehensive land use planning process" in a manner prescribed by the federal bureaucracy. This process must designate "areas of critical environment concern" in which all development and use will be tightly controlled.

These areas are so loosely defined that they could take in almost any rural region. They include all coastal zones and "significant agricultural and grazing lands."

The Nixon administration wanted to make this bill even tougher, so that it would cut off up to 21 per cent of federal highway and airport development funds to any state declining to join the land use program. Congressman Morris Udall, Interior Committee Chairman and author of the bill, agreed with the administration on this point but could not persuade the majority of the committee to go along with it. He is expected to introduce this punitive provision as a floor amendment. The entire Act should be defeated. Decisions on land use and development should be made by the communities immediately affected. HLH

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Inside White House: Nixon Braintrusters Alert Him To Coming Recession and Heavy Unemployment

WASHINGTON — Some time ago in President Nixon's residential quarters we discussed action to counter a depression. I suggested he move as Britain's Prime Minister Harold Wilson had. Almost wistfully, Dick Nixon replied: "I would but I'm not in the party."

The President meant, of course, that our mutual "friend" Wilson had his Parliament with him while the President didn't. Since then the Congress has become a tougher, more crushing Democratic-labor controlled opposition to him and virtually all his policies.

This thought must have been with him as he chaired a two- hour- and- 20-minute economic strategy parley beginning at 4 p.m. in his Oval Office last Tuesday afternoon.

He peppered his top braintrusters with hard-nosed questions as they put "shocker after shocker" to him. In the words of one of his advisers, "We told him plain."

Yes, there was a chance of a sharp recession later this year.

Yes, there might well be heavy unemployment. Perhaps as much as 6 per cent joblessness.

High interest rates were brutal. They were killing residential housing starts. These are off by more than 800,000 from last year.

The auto industry assembly lines have slowed by about a third of what they were whipping out last year.

Soft goods sales are off; household appliances are off; hard goods, too, are off. Output of construction products is dropping because of the residential "starts" cutback.

There were few bright spots. One was the booming of construction. This is running very high. Huge capital expenditures are going into new facilities.

The President kept the discussion of residential housing going for fully half the time. And with good reason. This hits home. Fewer "starts" mean less purchasing of everything from household appliances to home furnishings and building materials. Not only will there be fewer young couples seeking their own living space – and older folks in those new retirement colonies -- but flaring joblessness in household appliance plants right across the nation.

President Nixon then decided on a special task force to see what could be done to ease credit, lower interest rates and stir up those crucial "housing starts."

The onrush of spreading unemployment appalled the eight or ten men in the room. They knew they'd be clobbered by the labor-Democratic coalition. Dick Nixon knew that the record would show the White House had been pushing for congressional action on the job and jobless fronts. But Congress appeared apathetic on these and uptight on "that other matter."

Congress was thundering – but not passing any job-making legislation. Nixon is not in "the party."

Further, despite late reports of growing congressional sentiment for some sort of standby wage-and-price controls, which the President had sought, and for which professorial John Dunlop, easily the weightiest braintruster in the room, had fought, it appeared the Congress would give the White House no powers at all.

There was much regret over the imminent failure of Congress to provide controls over the "health industry." Costs are expected to superrocket. There is "no competition" in this field. You pay what they ask. In turn, the medical establishment will begin paying what the unions will be asking. Or in some regions the hospitals will be shut down.

Tax cut? Not now. The President said, "Let's take a good hard look at this later."

There were no real decisions. The President is not in "the party." These decisions will have to come from Congress. The public will have to look at the record.

Bad news for the President isn't news these days. But a consensus of those present has it that he was in "good frame of mind, vigorous and active and up to the minute on the economic problems."

This won't please such critics as the towering Prof. J. Kenneth Galbraith who said the other day that "Nixon is spending 95 per cent of his time worrying about his own survival." Well, that would match the time Congress is spending worrying about cutting short that survival.

At least the President is doing his worrying at home. He doesn't quite have Prof. Galbraith's perspective. After all the 6-foot-8, 65-year-old giant of academe has the advantage of learning all about Americans' working-class problems from his farm in Vermont, the slopes of Aspen, Colo., the cloisters of Cambridge and Oxford, England, and the Swiss mountains. With an assist from the Americans for Democratic Action, all 50 of them

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
Rebozo and the $100,000

WASHINGTON-- The ubiquitous Bebe Rebozo, who mixes martinis and collects cash for President Nixon, has been hard- pressed to explain what he did with $100,000 that he received from billionaire Howard Hughes in 1970.

The money, earmarked for the President, was delivered in two $50,000 consignments directly to the presidential estates at San Clemente and Key Biscayne.

There on presidential property, the cash was relinquished by Hughes emissary Richard Danner to the President's man Bebe.

We uncovered this peculiar transaction in the summer of 1971. But not until two years later did it attract official attention.

Rebozo was prepared with an alibi. He had squirreled the money away in a safe deposit box, where it had gathered dust instead of interest for three years, he averred.

Now his alibi is coming unstitched. We helped with the unraveling in a way that has now taken on special significance.

We learned from a source close to the oval office that Rebozo had not held on to the Hughes money at all but had distributed it to President Nixon's brothers, Donald and Edward, and to the President's secretary, Rose Mary Woods.

But we could not prove, and therefore could not print, the story. Limited to no more than a pencil and a notebook to compel the facts, we decided to turn the information over to someone with a subpoena.

We told what we knew, therefore, to the Senate Watergate Committee. We also suggested the witnesses who should be put under oath, and provided a list of questions that should be asked.

The committee's crack investigator, Terry Lenzner, took over the hunt. His search for evidence led him to attorney, Herbert Kalmbach, who refused to answer questions on the grounds that he had an attorney- client relationship with Rebozo.

But the shrewd Lenzner asked Rebozo whether he had gone to Kalmbach for legal advice on the Hughes $100,000. The tight- lipped Bebe denied he had consulted Kalmbach.

Both Kalmbach and Rebozo were summoned to Capitol Hill and were questioned simultaneously under oath in separate rooms. Again, Kalmbach tried to claim attorney- client privilege.

But Chairman Sam Ervin, D- N.C., noting Rebozo's denial that he had sought Kalmbach's legal advice, ruled against Kalmbach. Threatened with contempt if he didn't testify, the President's attorney acknowledged he had met at the White House with an anguished Rebozo on April 30, 1973.

Rebozo related that the $100,000 Hughes payment was under investigation by the Internal Revenue Service and that he couldn't reveal what he had done with the money, Kalmbach testified. He said Rebozo told him that he had passed out the money to Rose Mary Woods, the Nixon brothers and "others." The President had asked him to seek Kalmbach's advice, Rebozo allegedly said.

Kalmbach advised him to tell the IRS the full story but offered to consult a tax attorney for his expert opinion. Shortly afterward, Kalmbach discussed the case with government attorney Stanley Ebner, taking care not to mention the famous names involved.

We learned about Kalmbach's explosive testimony from Senate sources and immediately sought Rebozo's comments. We reached him on April 1 through an intermediary, whom we had used in the past. We told the intermediary only that an attorney, whom Rebozo had consulted, had money going to the President's secretary and his brothers.

We positively did not mention Kalmbach's name. This is the recollection, too, of the intermediary. Yet we have now learned that Rebozo immediately tried to reach Kalmbach.

The call was returned the next day by Kalmbach's attorney, James O'Connor of Phoenix, who told Rebozo that Kalmbach was under Senate injunction not to discuss the Hughes case with anyone.

Rebozo pleaded desperately that he had an attorney- client relationship with Kalmbach. The chairman had ruled otherwise and had ordered Kalmbach to testify "under penalty of contempt," O'Connor informed Rebozo.

"Oh God," wailed Rebozo. "This is the worst thing that has happened to me."

The President's confidant had good reason for his anguish. He had sworn under oath that he had kept Hughes' $100,000 gift on ice for three years and, therefore, had no need to seek Kalmbach's legal advice.

Yet when he learned through us that an attorney had divulged how the money had been distributed, Rebozo didn't need to be told which attorney. He immediately tried to get hold of Kalmbach.

Senate investigators have also checked with Stanley Ebner, who has confirmed Kalmbach's story.

The implications for President Nixon could be more dangerous than any other Watergate revelation. For if Rebozo distributed $100,000 in Hughes cash to the President's secretary and family, it strains all credulity to suggest that Richard Nixon was told nothing about it by his bosom friend and constant shadow.

Footnote: Rebozo is sticking to his story, nevertheless, that he kept the $100,000 in a safe deposit box. Rose Mary Woods and the Nixon brothers have also denied getting any cash from

4 arrested

Police today announced the arrest of Richardson Copeland, 129 N. West St., for assault and battery; David Ervin Davis, 834 Ruth St., careless and imprudent driving; Gary Dean Irwin of Morehouse, improper registration and peace disturbance; and Linda Garcia of Morehouse, peace distrubance.

Bertrand man fined $35

BENTON — Donald Jean McWhirter of Bertrand received a 30- day suspended jail sentence and was fined $35 Wednesday in Magistrate Court by Judge Lloyd Briggs after pleading guilty to a charge of public intoxication.

After pleading guilty to an April 13 charge of underage possession of intoxicating liquor, Daniel Lee Dement, 18, received a 30- day suspended jail sentence and was ordered to pick up trash on Tywappity Road near Chaffee.

A guilty plea to charges of driving without a license and improper registration brought Pauline Turner of Oran a $15 fine and a six-month suspenced jail sentence under supervised probation.

Larry Edgar Hanner of Bloomfield was fined $75 and given a 30-day suspended jail sentence after pleading guilty to driving with an expired license.

On a charge of nonsupport, Randy Gene Moore was placed on supervised probation for two years and ordered to pay $15 per week for the support of his minor child.

Fined for traffic violations were:

Ronald Steven Gray of Scott City, expired vehicle license, $30; Floyd Bell Jr. of Dorena, speeding and improper registration, $22; Robert Ray Molly of Charleston, failure to cover load, $26.50; Tommy Wayne Shrum of Charleston, driving without lights, $25; Herschel O'Dell Gilpin of Commerce, improper passing, $20.

Robert Mayo of Sikeston, no Missouri registration, $10; Bruce Edward Cockram of Chaffee, prohibited plates, $25; James Grant of Sikeston, failure to exercise care in driving, $5.

Fined onspeeding charges were:

Steven Paul Gentry of Scott City, $15; Starlin Ray Kelly of New Madrid, $11; Ralph Edward Buchanan of Dexter, $13; Robert L. Cradic, $14; Michael Eugene Griffin, $11; Claude Alexander Myracle, $15; Charles Ray Ulmer, $11; Willis Beasley, $17; Cheryl Beil, $13; Johnny Ray Hampton, $15.

Douglas Lee Jones, $19; Leonard Lee Klingensmith, $25; Ulysses Kuykendall, $15; Thomas David Labruray, $15; Donald Moore, $20; Shirley Simmons, $35; Albert Thompson, $15; Mary Wunderlich, $25; Walter Lee Butler, $10.

David Poston Fields, $65; Clinzo Johnson, $15; Gregory Dale Huff, $11; Leon Ray Stilwell, $13; Mary Eugene Tucker, $11; Clifford Crosser, $11; Holmer Lee Eaton, $28; Freddie R. Huffman, $13.

William Earl Smitherman, $15; Eldon E. Snyder, $11; Roger Widner, $18; Warren Edward Watson, $12; Jesse Fredrick Bolen, $11; Murrill Ernest Dickerson, $10; Donald Lee Edwards, $14; James Knox, $14; and Rodney McCoy, $11.

Charges of speeding and possession of a dangerous and deadly weapon against Joseph Anderson of Sikeston were continued until May 8.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of Bennie Greer of Jackson, who failed to appear in court on a charge of driving without a license.

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. (AP) — Penn State's basketball team will have cocaptains next season. They are Kevin Burke of Pittston, Pa., and Randy Meister of Baldwinsville, N.Y. The two juniors helped the Nittany Lions finish the recent season with a 14 and 12 record.

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DEXTER — Dr. H. A. Poe reported to the Stoddard County sheriff's department Wednesday that thieves had stolen equipment from his farm on Route T west of Dexter sometime during the last two to three weeks.

Dr. Poe said a 15 - foot flex- type harrow and a middle buster plow for ditching were taken.

PUBLIC NOTICES

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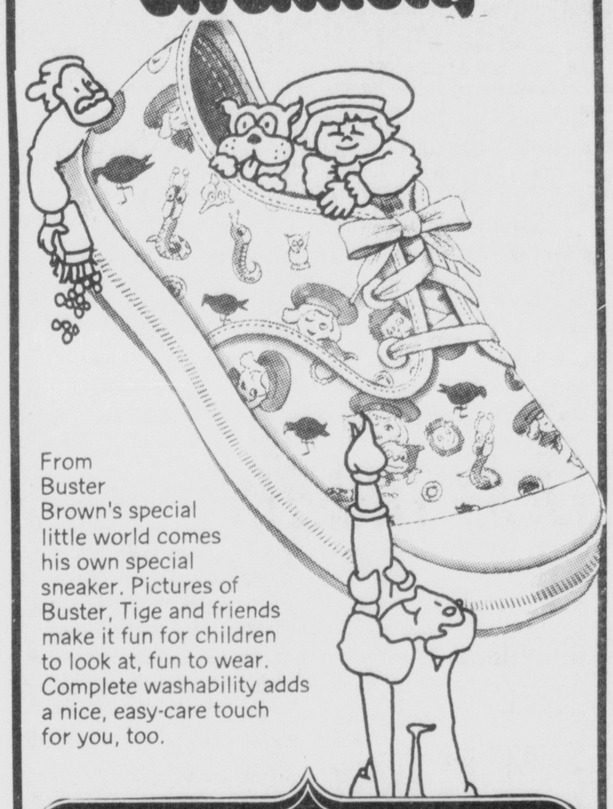

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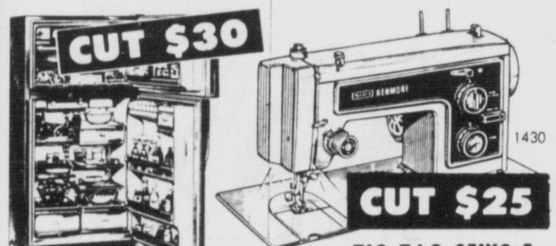

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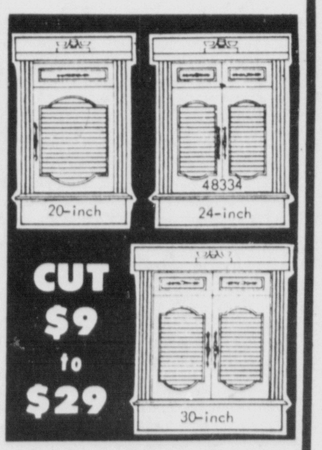

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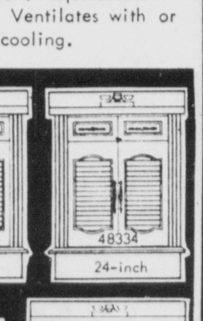

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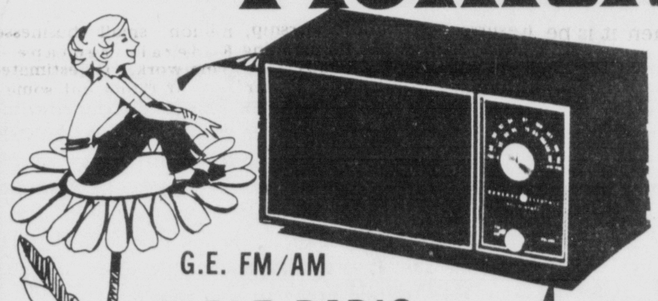

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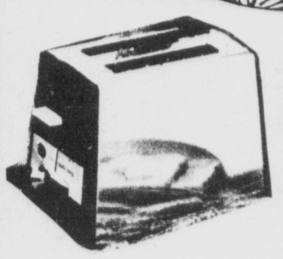

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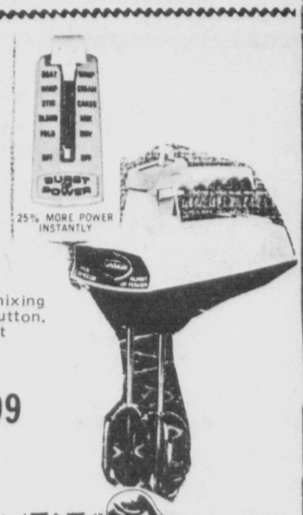

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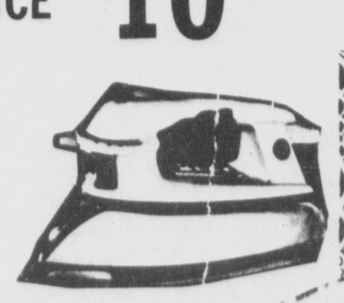

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Women's Page

Judy Stricklin, Editor 471-1137

Book review

GRAND JURY
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319 pp.)

"In GRAND JURY Elizabeth Rose has called upon her skill as a prize- winning newspaper editor and her understanding as a compassionate observer of the human scene to write a compelling story of guilt, innocence, responsibility and prejudice," comments Leland Frederick Cooley, author of California, about GRAND JURY, a first novel by the California journalist, now available in Avon paperback edition.

The author, who served on a Grand Jury for a murder trial, has written a novel which parallels her own experience. In GRAND JURY, 12 people must decide whether the death of a young Mexican at the hands of Officer Ronald Billie Woods is a racist murder by a trigger- happy cop, or the deed of a policeman acting in the line of duty.

Free-spirited funshape bares a lot of shoulder, a lot of back. Lace-edged halter top cummerbunds to a dirndl-full of bright white embroidery. Deliciously Vicky Vaughn in polyester knit, machine washable/ dryable. Pink/White or Blue/White. 5-15. $34.00

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Gingham check goings-on

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Downtown Sikeston

Living room accessories to be discussed in May

Local extension club leaders will present programs on "Arrangement of Accessories for the Living Room" at their May club meetings. They are attending training meetings this week and through the second week of May to prepare materials for the programs.

Fredericka Plummer of Charleston, area home economist, conducted training sessions last week in the University of Missouri extension center conference room at New Madrid and at Ark-Mo Power Co. in Caruthersville.

At the training sessions, leaders studied guidelines for arranging accessories, then arranged groups of accessories and saw slides of arrangements and how to hang pictures. They discussed how they would present the program to their clubs. Some of the leaders mounted pictures to use at their club meetings.

Training sessions this week will be held in Kennett Tuesday in the Bank of Kennett, Wednesday, in the University of Missouri extension center conference room at Charleston, Friday in the University of Missouri extension center conference room at Benton and next Tuesday in the Farm Bureau building meeting room at Bloomfield.

Leaders from extension homemaker clubs attending in New Madrid County were: Mrs. Bill Depro and Mrs. Nelson Gruen of Matthews, Mrs. Vonrey Mattingly of Conran, Mrs. Wilbert Lueker of Catron, Mrs. William Miller of Lilbourn, Mrs. Clennon Farr of Howardville, Pansy Stafford of Portageville and Mrs. Joe T. White and Gene Ponder of East Prairie.

Also attending were Mrs. Paul Cummins of Risco 4-H Club and Pansy Crosby and Alice Mason Douthet, 4-H youth assistants in New Madrid County.

Leaders attending in Caruthersville were: Mrs. Lois McReynolds of Caruthersville, Mrs. Clyde Sellers and Mrs. Dewey White of Bragg City and Mrs. Annie B. Adkins of Portageville.

Training sessions held

Fredericka Plummer, left, of Charleston, area home economist, conducted a recent training session for leaders of extension homemaker clubs on "Arrangement of Accessories for the Living Room" in the University of Missouri Extension Center conference room in New Madrid. Leaders, from left, included: Mrs. William Miller of Lilbourn, Mrs. Pansy Stafford of Portageville, Mrs. Paul Cummins of Risco, Vonrey Mattingly of Conran and Mrs. Wilbert Lueker of Catron. Other leaders who attended were Mrs. Bill Depro and Mrs. Nelson Gruen of Matthews, Mrs. Clennon Farr of Howardville, Mrs. Joe T. White and Mrs. Gene Ponder of East Prairie and 4- H youth assistants Pansy Crosby of Risco and Alice Mason Douthet of Lilbourn.

Births

PRATT — Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pratt, 1407 E. Malone Ave., are parents of their first child, a son born April 30 at 4:20 p.m. in Missouri Delta Community Hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds two ounces and has been named Mark Joseph.

Grandparents are Mrs. Betty Launius of Morehouse and John E. Launius of Bloomfield and Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Pratt, 1409 E. Malone.

Great- grandmothers are Mrs. C. G. Ziegenhorn, 114 W. Wakefield St., Mrs. E. Y. Launius of Essex and Mrs. Harry Pratt Sr. of Sacramento, Calif.

Caring for your new baby

Infants need to be checked often by doctor

XIII. After the First Weeks— Part 7

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is another in a series of 18 articles prepared by the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare to describe things about normal babies that commonly worry parents and what to do or not to do about them. The articles should answer many questions about what to expect of a new baby and give simple instructions about solving problems that most parents face during their baby's first year of life. This section of the series concerns the development of a child after the first few weeks when he is visibly growing every day, developing a few rudimentary language skills and becoming more mobile. The articles describe various types of "normal" babies and tell why a baby behaves the way it does.

Health Supervision

You will have many questions about your baby that can best be answered by a medically trained person. Your baby should be checked from time to time to discover whether he is growing and developing normally and whether he has any problems which you may not notice, but which a doctor can notice in his examination.

There are certain tests that should be performed for every child, and your baby needs certain "shots" or immunizations to keep him from having certain illnesses. For these reasons your baby should be seen by a doctor (or a suitably trained doctor substitute) several times during his first year of life.

Choosing a Doctor or Clinic

You will want to choose a doctor or clinic whose office is convenient, whom you trust, who is likely to be available by telephone when you want advice and preferably one who can take care of your child when he is well and when he is sick.

Neighbors and friends will often have suggestions. The doctor who delivers your baby and the hospital nurses can be helpful. If you have other children, you will certainly want to use the same doctor for all your children.

Using the "Doctor"

If possible, choose your baby's doctor before the baby is born. Call him, tell him when you expect the baby and that you would like him to visit you and the baby in the hospital and care for him after he is born. Some doctors will suggest a visit before the baby is born to get to know you and to discuss your plans for caring for the new baby.

Be sure to talk to the doctor who examines your baby in the hospital to find out if all is well. Ask questions and get answers!

Especially with a first baby, you will have more questions in your first days after you and the baby come home from the hospital than at any other time. Check first with experienced and trusted friends, but don't hesitate to call the doctor, clinic or hospital.

Most doctors and clinics will schedule the baby's first checkup when he is about one month old, and then plan further visits every four to six weeks for three or four visits and somewhat less frequently in the last six months of the first year.

Your conversation with the "doctor" is the most important part of each visit. The doctor may actually examine the child only three or four times during the first year, but he will always want to know how your baby is growing, how he is learning and developing and whether you have noticed any problems. Write down your questions and observations so you can be sure to remember them.

Keeping Your Own Records

You may have to change doctors, or you may have to get medical care when your doctor is not available. A busy clinic or doctor may lose your child's records. If you keep your own record and take it with you whenever you visit a doctor or clinic, you will probably save time and trouble.

When Doctors Disagree

Don't be surprised if one doctor doesn't give you the same advice as another, or even if they actually disagree with each other or with what you read in these articles.

For many problems, there are many successful treatments, and these articles only mention one. For some other problems such as colds, each doctor may have his own favorite medicine, none of which makes much difference. For still other problems (whether boys should be circumcised, for example), there are real differences of opinion.

When two doctors give you directly conflicting advice, you should ask for an explanation. If the explanation is convincing, fine. If not, you will have to get a third opinion or make up your own mind.

Be sure to keep all your own medical appointments, so that any health problems discovered during pregnancy and delivery can be completely treated. Your baby and your future babies need to have you in the best possible health.

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Ann Landers

Men who eat breakfast downtown can remedy home problem with maid

Dear Ann Landers: I am still boiling over the letter from that jerk who'd rather eat breakfast downtown than have to look at his wife in the morning.

I have a suggestion for him, and for all the other men who think the way he does. (The idiot who wrote said he saw dozens of husbands eating breakfast in coffee shops and cafes, enjoying the morning paper, and they were there for the same reason.)

Gentlemen: If you don't like the way the old girl looks in the morning, hire a housekeeper and a governess for the children. Your wife can then get up when you do, and while you are showering, shaving and dressing, she can get gorgeous and join you at the breakfast table looking like Miss America.

If you can't swing it, keep your mouth shut and settle for what's there.-- N. Y. Reader

Dear N. Y. Reader: You are also a writer. Thanks for putting it so well. I loved your letter, and so will millions of other average American "Morning Glories."

Dear Ann Landers: I have a simple question and will be as direct as I can because I need a straight answer. Here it is: In your opinion, when a boy and a girl get into heavy petting is this considered "having sex"?

I hope you won't think I am cheap. I'm a 15- year- old girl who needs information. Please print your answer in the paper. My mother "accidentally" opens my mail and if she got a hold of the answer to this one, I'd die.-- Not Dumb, Just Inexperienced

Dear N.D.: In our day (back in the Stone Age, of course) we called it "Roman hands and Russian fingers." The language may have changed somewhat in the last 40 years, but the routine is very much the same.

Manual exploration is not what I would call "having sex" but if a girl allows it, she is bound to cross over the line from exploration to discovery before long. The Landers Law for staying within reasonable limits is: "Four feet on the floor at all times, and all hands on deck."

Dear Ann Landers: That letter from the girl who couldn't please her mother, no matter how hard she tried, could have been written by me 30 years ago.

That kind of mother can't hear a cry for help. She is calling too loudly for help herself. What's more, if she recognizes her daughter as the person who wrote that letter to you, she'll probably beat her down even more.

If the mother can't be gotten to a psychiatrist then the daughter should get a job at least 500 miles away, come home once a year, and stay for five days. Or, she should cut the ties completely and remain sane.-- I Cut Them

Dear Cut: I consulted with Dr. George Pollock, a distinguished psychiatrist, and the director of the Chicago Institute of Psychoanalysis. He said: "The question is whether or not removal from an intolerable situation can be of help. Of course it can. However, it is not that simple. The writer suggests a 'parentectomy,' either on a permanent basis or one that lasts 360 days a year. Both the mother and child need help. Perhaps if the child showed some concern for the mother, that support might serve as a bridge to help them both.

"The cutting of ties, though necessary in some cases, is not solutional. One must be aware that the child who cuts ties may have guilt feelings later in life, especially when he or she becomes a parent."

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Cotton Boll Round-Up this weekend

Approximately 1,500 Junior and Cadette Girl Scouts of the Cotton Boll Council will camp this week at Spring Valley, located between Malden and Clarkton, as part of the Cotton Boll Round-Up. The fun and learning experience will be under the direction of Doris Brown of Sikeston, scout executive.

Of the 1,531 campers registered to attend, 1,289 are scouts and 244 are adults. Members of 54 Junior troops and 22 Cadette troops fill the roster.

Saturday afternoon the homecrafts of pioneer days will be demonstrated through the making of soap, quilts and other 18th and 19th century crafts. The Kennett troops will open the bicentennial celebration in the council with the presentation that evening of a skit entitled "1776".

The program schedule for the weekend:

Friday – 4 to 8 p.m. girls will arrive and set up camp sites; 6 to 8 p.m., a nosebag lunch will be served; 9 p.m., unit campfires and singing; 9:30 p.m., troop leaders meet with unit director; and 11 p.m., taps.

Saturday -- 8 to 11:30 a.m., breakfast, clean- up, visitation, hiking and exploring; 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., lunch and clean- up; 2 to 3 p.m., Cadette demonstrations; 3 to 4 p.m., Junior entertainment; 4:30 p.m., girls meet at main gate for Catholic mass; all other girls, 4:30 to 6 p.m., dinner and clean- up; 7 to 7:30 p.m., all units will report to arena for arena events, girls must sit with their unit, the play, "1776", will be presented; and 10 p.m., taps.

Sunday — 8 to 9:30 a.m., breakfast and clean-up; 9:30 a.m., church line-up and file to church grounds; 10 a.m., "Joyful Noise", interdenominational church services at arena, director will be Miss Shelly Bird of Poplar Bluff; noon, lunch; and 1 p.m. clean up sites and prepare to leave.

Meetings

TUESDAY

Sikeston Civic Club will meet at 12:30 p.m. in the Security Federal Savings and Loan Association community room for a potluck dinner.

NOTICE
Wedding information must be submitted to The Daily Standard within three weeks after the ceremony. Weddings one month old or older will NOT be run.

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Judy Stricklin, Editor 471-1137

Hospital Notes.

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report May 2

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.- Surg.	121	115	6	0
Pediatrics	23	15	0	8
Obstetrics	14	6	0	8
Intensive Care	7	6	0	1
Patients Scheduled For Admission Today:				4

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Released May 1
John Walters, Charleston
Jessie Vannasdale, Holcomb
Edna Allred, Lilbourn
Linda Frohawk, Sikeston
Linda Hadder, Sikeston
Tracy Emory, East Prairie
Donald Faris, Morehouse
Betty McDougal, Sikeston
Clarence Banks, Bertrand
Leo Stroud, Bloomfield
Mildred Weems, East Prairie
Gladys Edwards, Dexter
Myrtle Henson, Portageville
Connie Lovette, Charleston
Betty L. Cowan, Sikeston
Virginia Lett, Sikeston
Tabitha Redd, Sikeston
Leslie Hopper, Oran
Dewight White, East Prairie
Ila Maxine Miller, East Prairie
John Gray, Dexter
Armaretta E. Litton, Dexter
Margaret Turner, Charleston
Mary Ruth Autry, Sikeston
Helen Sullenger, Lilbourn
Billy Williams, Charleston
Mildred Lee, Sikeston
Jimmy W. Duty, Bloomfield
Donna Hulshof, Benton
Total Patients Discharged: 29
Total Patients Admitted: 17
Births: 1
Emergency Dept.
Accident Patients: 5
Medical Patients: 21
Others: 17
Total emer. patients: 43

CHAFFEE GENERAL:
Admitted:
Wanda Bennett, Lowndes
Lillian Hahn, Cape Girardeau
Sharon Lane, Sikeston
Maggie Shelton, Chaffee
Released:
Henry Jackson, Chaffee
Albert Lape, Dutchtown
James McCarthy, Cape Girardeau
Nellie Moore, Chaffee
Norma Parker and baby girl, Chaffee
Vera Patterson, Oran
David Shirrell, Jackson
Rozina Sturgeon, Zalma

DEXTER MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
Mable Edwards, Dexter
John Edwards, Dexter
Released:
Pam Dalton, Sikeston
Ruth Richardson, Catron
Martha Triplett, Malden
Judith Johnson, Quin
Albert Walden, Parma
Christeen Tibbs, Dexter
Geraldine Mansfield, Dexter
Faye Hillin, Dexter
Unis Watkins, Dexter
Gertie McDaniels, Dexter
Linda Carpenter, Dexter
Janice Garner, Dexter

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
Arethia Williams, Hayti
Regional Hall, Hayti
Terry Jones, Deering
Stephen Bonee, Portageville
Stella Isbell, Steele
Released:
Shirley Grant, Caruthersville
Lois Driver, Caruthersville
Irene Filppens, Caruthersville
Dock Stone, Caruthersville
Delain Corn, Caruthersville
Albert Urban, Caruthersville
Ricky Murray, Caruthersville
Hugh Owens, Caruthersville
Leona Gunn, Hayti
Clarence Taylor, Steele
Nellie Hardy, Cooter
Pete Townsend, Conran
Virgie Akins, New Madrid

Missouri information

The boyhood home of Gen. John "Black Jack" Pershing at Laclede has been preserved for today's visitors, according to the Missouri Tourism Commission. Gen. Pershing was the only American other than George Washington to hold the title "General of the Armies."

The Missouri River town of Hermann will hold its annual Maifest on May 18-19, says the Missouri Tourism Commission. The authentic German May Festival features good food, music, dancing and tours of many historic buildings in the scenic old community.

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Risco couples visit Greece, Yugoslavia

By MRS. DON LANDERS
Risco Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Verly McCord and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Buck recently returned from a 10- day guided tour in which they were members of a party of 242 tourists in Dubrovnik, Yugoslavia, and Athens, Greece.

The group learned that most of the people in towns they visited make their living mainly by fishing, vegetable farming and from the huge, old olive trees.

The weather took an unusual turn during their trip, resulting in several days of steady rain, which is abnormal there for this time of year. Tour guides explained that the temperatures rarely are below freezing and stated that snow falls approximately once every 10 years in any substantial amounds.

The couples felt an apparent shyness or air of suspicion toward the tourists, and it seemed that the people of Greece were somewhat friendlier than those they met in Yugoslavia.

During a picnic the group was entertained by native singing and dancing, complete with the usual native costumes of long black dresses and white aprons. They learned that women wearing red caps with white scarves draped over them were married, while women wearing red caps without the scarves were single.

They also observed that the men's hairstyles were comparatively shorter than those in our country, and the women use apparently no teasing or back- combing in their hair- dos. Dresses were all worn well below the knees, and most public employes were dressed in special uniforms.

An interesting notation in the world of business was the fact that men and women in comparable jobs are paid the same wages, but that they discourage both parents from holding jobs away from home as a result of the attitude that one parent should remain at home with the children.

Individuals also are reportedly not allowed to own more than 12 acres of land, with all the country's businesses, markets, etc., being government- operated.

The group was very impressed by the Acropolis, completely built by hand, and the fact that it has stood for so many years.

The couples also visited monasteries built before the time of Christ and old Dobrovnik, which is surrounded by high walls for protection. No vehicles are allowed inside since it has been restored for tourists, who walk along its cobblestone streets.

The fishing village, St. Stefan, was built on a rock in the sea and was surrounded by high walls to protect it from pirates of earlier days.

In Mostar the group walked across a Turkish arched bridge dating back to 1566 and later toured an old Turkish marketplace.

One touring day was spent in Athens, a city of two million, which the guide reported is the poorest city in the world.

Most of the group agreed that the high point of the trip was seeing the Roman ruins, dating back to 500 B.C.

They also agreed with the tour guide, who remarked at the climax of the trip that once you spend some time in a Communist country you can come back home and America's "Watergate" will seem insignificant.

Rising costs force uppercrusts to buy cheaper evening wear

NEW YORK (AP) — The same inflation that is forcing middle- income Americans to switch from steak to casseroles is causing upper-crust consumers to cut back on the luxuries of life — those $3,000 evening dresses, for example.

That's why designer George Halley, who showed his fall collection on Monday, slashed prices drastically, cutting them by 90 per cent at the wholesale level.

Halley's prices used to start at $800 - wholesale: Posh clothes with four- figure price tags that drew widespread publicity.

The expensive dresses just weren't selling well in recent years, said a Halley spokesman.

"Women are not spending that kind of money for clothes — no matter how much they have," the spokesman said.

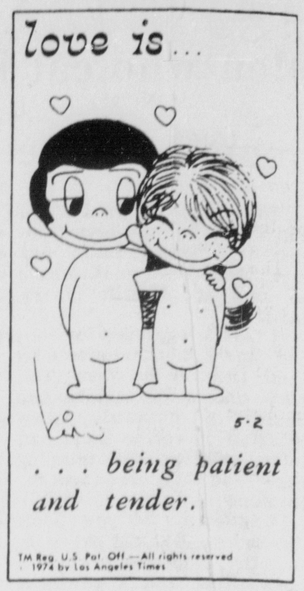
Wholesale prices for the new Halley collection start at $79 and go up to $300. That means retail prices of from $150 to $600.

The designer managed to keep the expensive look that characterized his more costly clothes. A parade of models, led by actress Alexis Smith, displayed a series of dresses and pants with a soft, swingy look. There were lots of autumn colors — rust, dark green and maroon — for day and plenty of sequins for evening. Hemlines hovered either at the knee or several inches above the ankle.

Halley isn't the only designer cutting prices. Several other Seventh Avenue fashion houses have pared their more expensive lines, eliminating some completely, to concentrate on the lower - priced, better-selling models.

It is accomplished basically by cutting back in the fabric, by using less expensive materials, said the Halley spokesman.

Edward Parnes, who took over as president of the organization five months ago, said it's simply a matter of making the dresses more commercial, using mass-manufacturing techniques rather than individual, custom workmanship.



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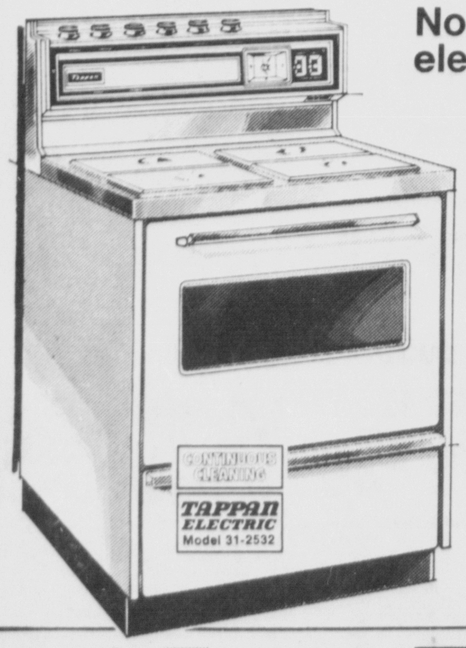

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Malden sets senior baccalaureate, commencement

MALDEN— Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday afternoon, and commencement exercises are scheduled May 9 for the 1974 graduating class of Malden High School.

The class of 108 seniors will include 57 girls and 51 boys. The girls will be represented by 15 graduates who maintained a grade average of S or above and six of the graduating senior boys have maintained the scholastic average.

Honor students of the class are: Sandra Bailey, Marla Brooks, Mary Byrum, Peggy Carr, Brenda Haskins, Sherri Haworth, Pamela Jones, Mary Lanier, Linda McCoin, Debra Moore, Carol Riggs, Jackie Riggs, Brenda Ryan, Dianna Walter, Linda Wilson, Weldon Gray, Mark Gregory, Tim McGraw, Sam Park, Richard Samons and Carl Townsend Jr.

Baccalaureate services will be held at 5 p.m. Sunday in the high school auditorium.

The Rev. Norman Dierking, minister of Grace Lutheran Church, will be the guest speaker, the Rev. Sterling Aubuchon, minister of First United Methodist Church, will give the invocation and the benediction will be offered by the Rev. Cecil Winberry, minister of Lone Oak General Baptist Church.

The MHS honor band will play the processional and the recessional, and the program will include selections by the mixed choir. Keith Luke and Kent Luke will serve as class escorts; and student council members will serve as ushers.

The commencement program will be held at 8 p.m. May 9 in the auditorium.

Otto Green, president of the Malden R- 1 School District board of education, will present diplomas to the graduating seniors; and Tom Park, superintendent of Schools, will present the class for graduation. Awards will be presented by Carl Townsend, high school principal.

The Rev. Richard Davison, minister of First Christian Church, will offer the invocation; and the Rev. Garfery Wilson, minister of Mount Olive Baptist Church, will give the benediction.

The valedictory address will be given by Miss Carol Riggs, valedictorian of the 1974 graduating class; and the salutatory address will be given by Miss Mary Byrum, salutatorian.

The program will include selections by the mixed choir and girl's choir.

Members of the graduating class are:

Sherell Allen, Georgia Anderson, Sandra Bailey, Deborah Blaylock, Marla Brooks, Janet Brown, Linda Burrow, Mary Byrum, Kimela Cagle, Peggy Carr, Cynthia Clemons, Jerella Crowder, Debra Dawson, Kay Duck, Pattie Fields, Katheryn Fobbs, Faye Fort, Sherry Fowler, Cynthia Garrard, Gail Goldsmith, Mark Gregory, Brenda Haskins, Sherri Haworth, Kathy Hill, Pamela Jones.

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Court rules in favor of Bell

CHARLESTON — A Circuit Court jury of 10 men and two women ruled in favor of Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., the defendant in a personal damage suit, Wednesday afternoon, concluding a three- day trial presided over by Judge Marshall Craig.

The suit, seeking $300,000 in damages, was brought by Mrs. Patricia Ellen Layton and her husband, Joe Willis Layton of Charleston.

The jury, which heard testimony and depositions from abut 15 witnesses, deliberated an hour and a half before reaching a verdict.

Counsel for Mrs. Layton attempted to prove she had received severe back injuries, which required major surgery, during her employment by the company from 1969 to 1971. The suit charged the injuries were caused by Mrs. Layton being required to use a large, old-type metal desk which was defective and in disrepair.

Opening and closing the heavy drawers in the desks many times a day required exertion of extraordinary force in tugging, pulling and straining, according to the allegations against the company.

Layton sought damages of $25,000 for the injuries to his wife, stating that he has and will continue having to expend substantial sums of money for medical treatment. He also charged that he has been deprived of the services, society, companionship and consortium of his wife since her injuries.

Similar suits have been filed against the company by Mrs. Clemtine Lamb, her husband, Tom Lamb, and Mrs. Linda Els and her husband, Robert Els. The women, also former employes of the telephone company, are charging they received back injuries due to the use of defective desks in the company's office at Charleston.

4-H forum held

Mrs. Gloria Mitchell of Portageville, right, a staff member of the Tri- County Human Development Corporation based at Caruthersville, recently attended the annual 4-H leaders forum at the National 4-H Center in Washington, D. C. With Mrs. Mitchell in front of the Capitol Building is Don Eaton, left, of Wilhelmina and Missouri 10th District Rep. Bill D. Burlison of Cape Girardeau. Mrs. Mitchell, who works with youth of public housing in Portageville and Caruthersville, was the only participant in the national forum from the Bootheel.

Music dept. to give play

CHARLESTON — The high school music department begins its production of the popular stage musical, "Hello, Dolly", at 7:30 p.m. today in the junior high school auditorium.

The show, directed by choral directory, Stephen Barr, will also be presented Friday and Saturday nights at 7:30.

Tickets may be purchased at the door.

5 treated

Five accident patients were treated Wednesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Treated were: Brenda Newman, 24, Matthews, stepped on nail, puncturing right heel; Jeffrey King, 4, Sikeston, bruised left foot on telephone pole; Rick Box, 16, Sikeston, multiple cuts and scratches to arm and left knee, injured on bicycle; Dawn Romanowski, 13, Charleston, cut left knee on bicycle; and Edith McMullin, 76, Morehouse, cut scalp in car accident.

Each year, 32 U.S. students are chosen to receive Rhodes Scholarships for a minimum of two years of study at Oxford University. The program began April 4, 1902, under the will of Cecil Rhodes, The World Almanac says. Work may be done in any field of study for which Oxford awards a degree. American applicants must be unmarried men, 18 to 24 years of age at the time of application with at least junior standing at a recognized degree-granting college or university.

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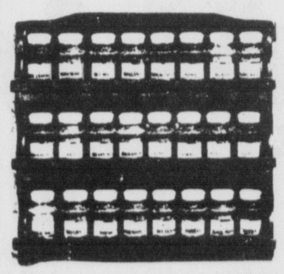

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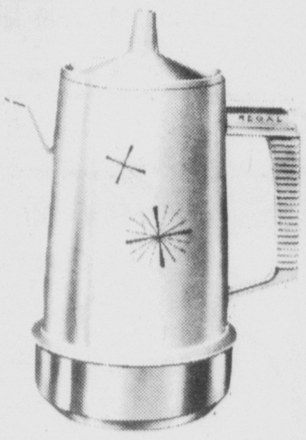

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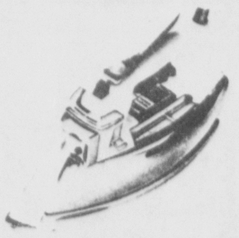

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Senate passes no fault bill

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Last PTA meeting of year held

Officers for the 1974-75 school year were installed by retiring president John F. Harper Monday night at the last meeting of the school year for the Southeast Elementary School Parent-Teachers Association. Norman Lambert was installed as president; John Woodard, first vice president; Ray Hindman, second vice president; June Freshour, secretary; Yvonne Odum, treasurer; and Anna Boshears, historian and publicity chairman.

Sam Harbin, superintendent of schools, was guest speaker and spoke on the topic, "The Accountability of Schools to the Public". He was introduced by Charles DeWitt.

The school's safety patrol was honored and received certificates of merit from principal Allen Mays.

New bylaws were presented and accepted by the group.

Winners of the room count for having the most parents present were Mrs. Charlotte Johnson's fifth grade class, first place, and Mrs. Debbie Brinkman's fourth grade class, second place.

Robert Miller, director of elementary education, was a special guest.

Aid payments total $226,128

NEW MADRID — New Madrid County welfare payments in April totaled $226,128.21 and, according to figures released by Mrs. Laverne Hadder, the county director, $114,915 of that amount was paid to 917 families receiving aid for 2,311 dependent children for an average check of $125.32 per family.

A total of 789 persons were transferred to the Supplemental Security Income rolls and no longer receive any assistance payments from the state programs. However, these persons remain eligible for medicaid benefits from the state.

State supplemental payments of $20,437 were received by 791 persons, who also received SSI assistance.

State supplemental payments only were received by 213 persons in the amojnt of $11,459.

General relief funds amounting to $17,804 were received by 255 families, consisting of 277 persons, for an average check of $64.27 per person.

Medical assistance went to 23 persons who did not receive a cash check and are eligible for medicaid benefits. Nursing care payments amounting to $2,802 were received by 18 persons.

Hospital and nursing home assistance totaled $57,752.48.

Services were given to 185 children under child welfare supervision. The New Madrid County Court provided $479.37 and state boarding funds expended $479.36 for room and board, clothing, medicine, dental care and incidentals for the children.

Food stamp figures were not available.

In 1511, coffeehouses had to be banned in Mecca, because they were drawing people away from the mosques!

In Belgium, a spoonful of ashes and water was thought to cure consumption.

New PTA officers installed

John F. Harper, left, retiring president of the Southeast Elementary School PTA, installed officers for the 1974-75 school year Monday night at the final PTA meeting of the school year. New officers, from left, are Norman Lambert, president; Ray Hindman, second vice president; June Freshour, secretary; Yvonne Odum, treasurer; and Anna Boshears, historian. Robert Miller, right, director of elementary education, was a special guest. John Woodard, first vice president, was not present for the picture.

Patrol boys honored

Members of Southeast Elementary School's safety patrol, honored Monday night by principal Allen Mays, second from right. From left are Scott Roberts, Billy Dozier, Bill Kastings (wearing glasses), Shawn McClain, Scott McDowell (black shirt), Timmy Massey, Kevin Matton, Marty Nanney (holding sign), Scott Chartrau, Bobby Kindred, Mike Clark and Tommy Monan.

Workmen's comp bill sent to governor

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A bill to increase workmen's compensation benefits in Missouri received overwhelming approval from both houses Tuesday in the final day of the legislative session and was sent to the governor.

The bill was approved in its final form by the House, 141-5, and by the Senate, 29-2.

The Senate bill, sponsored by Democrat Donald Gralike, was revamped in a joint House-Senate conference committee.

The bill increases benefits from $10 to $21 a week for rehabilitation, from $70 to $95 a week for a total disability, and from $65 to $75 a week for partial but permanent disability. The bill requires employers of more than five employes to contribute to compensation programs.

Public employes will be covered in the law.

Hospital workers get pay increase

KENNETT — An average "5 to 6 per cent" pay increase took effect Wednesday for all 230 employes at Dunklin County Memorial Hospital in what the chairman of the hospital's board of trustees said will "balance the effect of the new minimum wage."

John Howell, the chairman, said the pay hikes mean that the hospital's annual pay roll will grow "by about $115,000."

To offset this, he said, rates for wards, as well as private and semiprivate rooms, have been increased $4 per day.

"We think we're getting by cheaper than in some other places I've become familiar with," he said.

However, as to whether additional increases may be anticipated, "we'll just have to wait and see about that," he said.

Howell said that the board's action granting an "across-the-board" increase for hospital employes was stimulated by the raising of the minimum wage from $1.60 to $1.90 an hour.

Scores of employes making $1.60 received what amounts to an 18 per cent wage increase, "although I couldn't tell you exactly how many that would be," he said.

"We broke the others down into hourly wage groups and the raises varied ... but they all fell to within 5 to 6 per cent," Howell said.

The room rate increases raise costs to $50 for private, $46 for semiprivate rooms and $40 for a ward.

"We feel like this compares favorably with surrounding hospitals," he said.

Dunklin County Memorial Wednesday also became without an administrator when Elden Selves, who resigned last month after three years, assumed a similar position at Jefferson County Memorial Hospital at Festus.

"Howell said 20 applicants are being considered for the post, and that the board will likely decide on a successor May 13.

No interim administrator has been appointed, he said.

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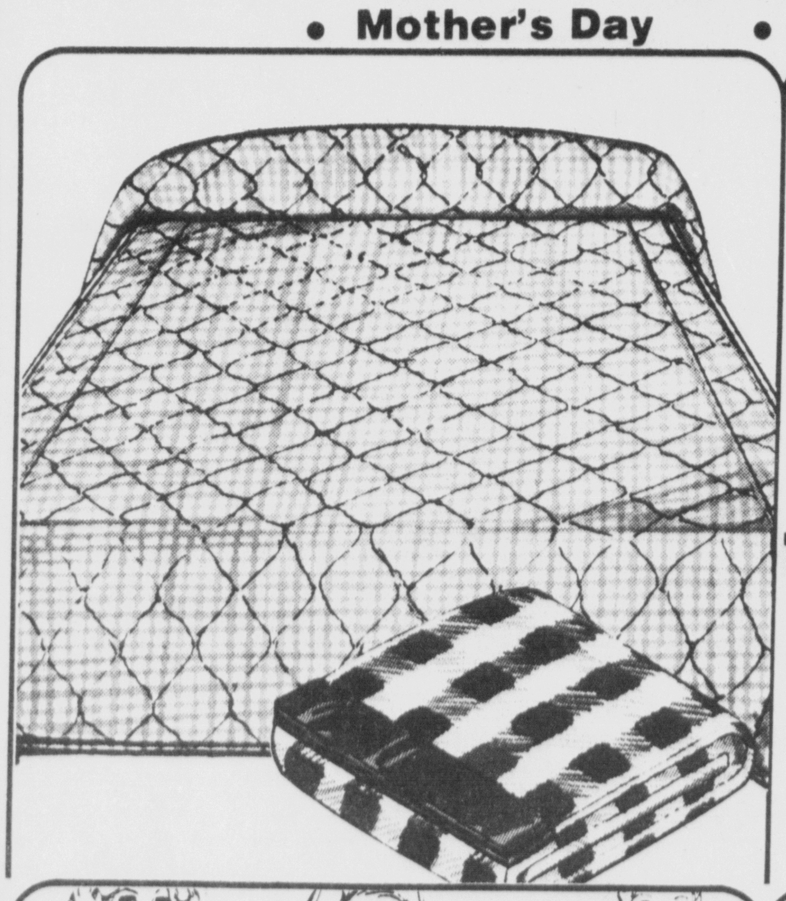

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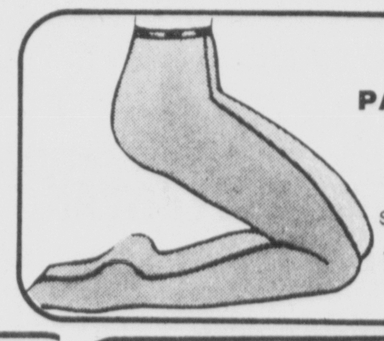

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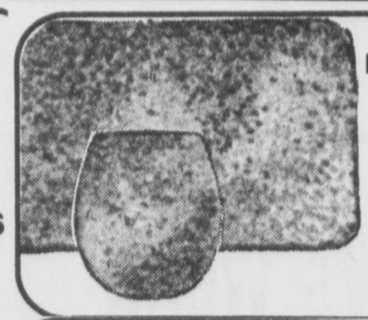

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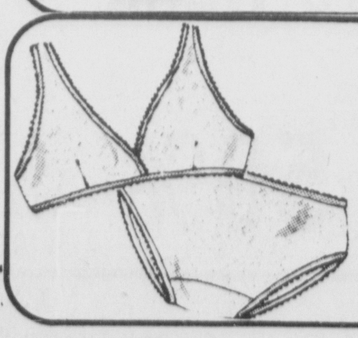

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Police stress bike safety during May

With more than 15 million bicycles sold in the United States last year and even larger sales expected this year, bicycle safety education has never been more important, police Chief Leon Culp says.

May is American Bike Month and police again are stressing bicycle safety.

"The energy crisis, the emphasis on ecology and common sense dictate increase use of the bicycle, not just by kids," Culp said. "We must increase our bicycle safety education in the schools, at home by parents and in cooperation with our local law enforcement and service agencies."

The chief said statistics show bicycles are outselling automobile for the second straight year and streets are becoming more crowded with both cars and bikes.

Culp said bicycle safety education is not just for the youngsters, although a gap in safety education exists between the pedestrian safety exercises in early grades and driver education in high schools.

More and more adults, upset by the energy crisis and rising gasoline prices, are turning to the bicycle as a means of transportation, not only for health and recreation, but for commuting and shopping.

Culp said adults who have gone back to the bicycle need more than a refresher course in driving their bikes.

"They need a long, sensible look at the rules of the road as they pertain to the cyclist," Culp said.

"There is no better time than during American Bike Month to remind citizens that bicycle safety is everyone's job," Culp said. He reminded youngsters and adults that, along with the rules of the roads, there is further need for maintenance of a bike to make sure that it is in safe operating order.

Most experts suggest bikes should have regular maintenance inspections at a local bike shop, but there is no reason why the bike driver can't take simple steps toward preventive maintenance on his own, Culp said.

Handlebars and seats should always be adjusted to fit the bike rider, then tightened. Chains should always be kept lightly oiled and brakes should always be checked before going out on a bicycle, he stated.

Culp added that it is a simple procedure to check tire treads to make sure there are no stones or glass bits lodged there.

Culp recommended that "Rules of the Road", issued by the Bicycle Institute of America, be followed by all cyclists.

The rules include:

Obey all applicable traffic regulation, signs, signals and markings; observe all local ordinances pertaining to bicycle operation; keep right, drive with traffic, not against it. Ride single file.

Watch out for drain grates, soft shoulders and other road surface hazards; watch out for car doors opening or for cars pulling out into traffic.

Don't carry passengers or packages that interfere with your vision or control; never hitch a ride on a truck or other vehicle; be extremely careful at all intersections, particularly when making a left turn; use hand signals to indicate turning or stopping.

Protect yourself at night with the required reflectors and lights; drive a safe bike by having it inspected; ride your bike defensively, and watch out for the other guy.

Webelos receive honors

Eight Webelos of Pack 43 received various awards during a recent meeting at City Park, including, from left, Rusty Beeson, Kevin Nall, Donnie Harper, Brian Williams and Brett Roberts. Also honored were Todd Ledbetter, Kenny Moore and Tommy Alsobrook. Pam Westmoreland is den leader and Thelma Moore is assistant den leader.

Thousands of workers walk off their jobs

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The economy of the St. Louis area was dealt a heavy blow Wednesday, when thousands of workers represented by various unions walked off their jobs in separate contract disputes.

The largest walkout was in the construction field, where 20,000 members of five unions struck the Associated General Contractors, idling about $350 million worth of construction.

Strikes also were launched by about 500 roofers and 160 glass workers at the Owens-Illinois Co., plant in St. Louis.

In addition, 1,300 workers at the Ford Motor Co. Mercury plant were laid off because of a strike at another facility, preventing parts from being delivered to St. Louis.

E.E. Walla, Teamster Local 682 president and spokesman for the five construction unions striking the AGC, predicted the workers would be out from six weeks to all summer.

The Five-Pact Labor Alliance is composed of Teamsters, Carpenters, Cement Masons, Operating Engineers and Laborers unions. The pact's five-year contract with the contractors expired at midnight Tuesday.

Walla said the walkout was forced by management's refusal to guarantee retroactive pay during a proposed extension of the labor contracts while negotiations continued.

Moore earns award

Kenny Moore, center, son of Mrs. Thelma Moore, left, 230 Miller Drive, received the Arrow of Light Award during a den meeting at City Park from Jerry Crismon. The award is the highest a boy can receive before becoming a Boy Scout.

School calendar approved

HOWARDVILLE — The first day of school for students in the New Madrid County R-1 Enlarged School District will be Aug. 19, according to the 1974- 75 school calendar approved by the board of education, and schools will close May 16, 1975 after a total of 174 student attendance days.

Prior to the opening day of school, teacher orientation is scheduled for Aug. 15 and 16, and school will be dismissed for Labor Day on Sept. 2.

Remainder of the announced calendar:

Nov. 7 and 8, state teachers meeting for delegates only; Nov. 8, local teachers meeting; Nov. 28 and 29, Thanksgiving holidays; Dec. 21 through Jan. 5, Christmas holidays, with classes resuming on Jan. 6.

Schools will be dismissed Feb. 17 for Washington's birthday; March 13 and 14, district teachers meeting; and March 28 through April 1, spring break.

Kevin Nall

1 of 3 to get award

Kevin Nall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nall, Route Two, was one of the three Webelo Scouts of Pack 43 who received the Arrow of Light Award April 25 during a pack meeting in City Park. The award is the highest award a boy can receive before becoming a Boy Scout.

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Donnie Harper

Youth receives high award

Donnie Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Harper, 171 Presnell Drive, has received the Arrow of Light Award, the highest award a boy can receive before becoming a Boy Scout. Harper is a member of Webelos of Pack 43.

Lapland knows no fixed boundaries; it extends across arctic Sweden, Norway and Finland into Russia. Archeologists have discovered that Lapps roamed the region as early as A.D. 400, according to the National Geographic Society's book, "Vanishing Peoples of the Earth."

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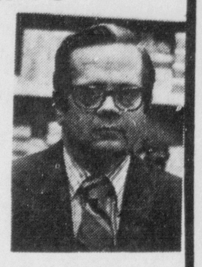

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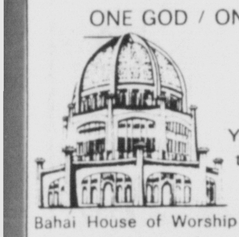

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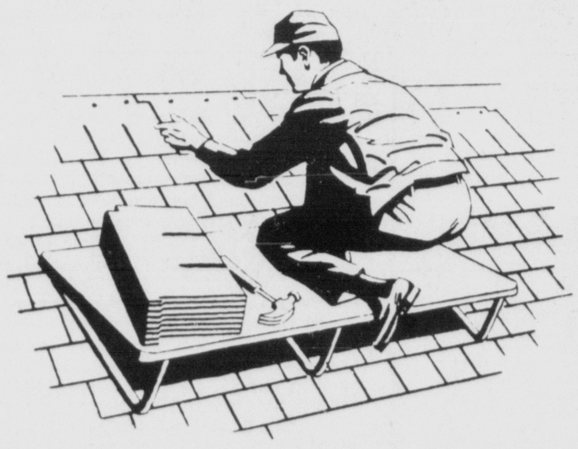

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11. Misc. For Rent

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12. Misc. For Sale

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Carport Sale
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5 Family Carport Sale
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Yard Sale
Sat. May 4 8-5
Corner of Highway 114 & Carrol St. Morehouse

Carport Sale
909 Crescent
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Sat. May 4, 9-5

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Friday & Saturday.
808 Ruth

Yard Sale
Saturday
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3 Family Garage Sale
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13. Real Estate

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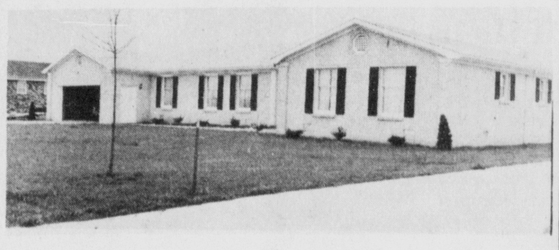

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Beautiful brick fully carpeted New 4 bedroom, family room with fireplace, formal dining room, 2½ baths, double car garage with storage room, custom built cabinets, all electric, custom made drapes, landscaped yard. Call for appointment if interested in this $60,000 home located Northwest St., Hunter Acres West. Go Davis to Salcedo Rd. turn left directly across R. R. tracks turn left 1st street which is Northwest. The house is 2nd house onright, white brick. 471-6133

GETTING THAT CLOSED IN FEELING: Then read this. This tremendous floor plan offers the best of everything. A spacious foyer entrance, a large living room with lots of wall space for furniture placement, a formal dining room big enough to easily accommodate a large table and hutch, a huge country kitchen dining and family room combination with over 400 sq. ft. of bright, sunny, and pleasant informal living, large pantry and separate utility room, wall to wall carpeting, double carport, outside storage, large 3/4 acre lot with plenty of room for a garden. And there's more, two full baths, plenty of closets, central heat and air, built-in appliances, and rounding out this fine floor plan are a king size master bedroom and two spacious bedrooms. See this home today.

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NEW LISTING: This pretty home is located at 139 Marion St. and features three bedrooms, wall to wall shag carpet, very large living room, central heat, window air cond., ceramic bath, carport, outside storage, chain link fence, kitchen and dining area with built-in cabinets and appliances. This extra clean home is priced at only $17,300.00

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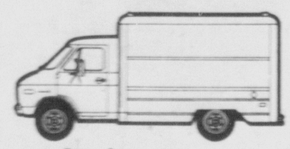

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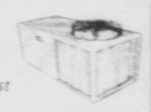

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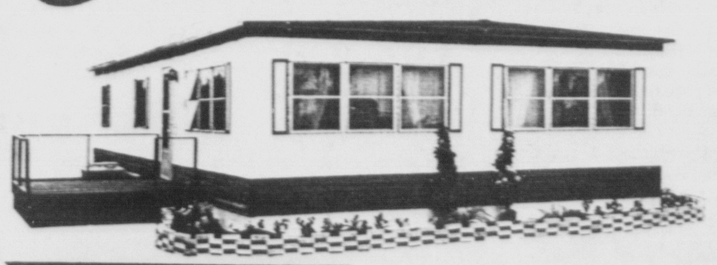

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Deaths

MAGGIE C. HUMPHREY

BERNIE — Maggie Carry Humphrey, 86, died at 12:02 a.m. Wednesday in Ridgeview Manor Nursing Home at Malden.

She was born Nov. 9, 1887 near Malden to the late Sam and Paralee Campbell.

On May 17, 1906, she married John Renick, who died Jan. 28, 1928. In June 1934, she married the Rev. James J. Humphrey, who preceded her in death Jan. 27, 1969. She was a member of the general Baptist Church in Bernie.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Peck of Bernie and Mrs. Minnie Humphrey of Flint, Mich., 13 grandchildren and 39 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at Duffie-Rainey Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday with the Revs. Cecil Winberry and Roy Edgins officiating.

Burial will be in Stephens Chapel Cemetery.

LESTER TRUETT

ST. LOUIS-- Lester Truett, 58, of 3936 Westminster, a former New Madrid County resident, died Tuesday of natural causes soon after becoming ill at his home.

He was born Aug. 10, 1915 in New Madrid County to the late H. R. and Maude Ann Keith Truett. A retired car auction driver, he had lived in Risco, New Madrid and Parma before moving to St. Louis about for years ago.

Survivors include two daughters, Ruth Ann Pennington of Portageville and Sandra Webb, address unavailable; stepmother, Cora Truett of New Madrid; two brothers, Thurman Truett of Risco and Bert Truett Jr., stationed with the armed forces in Hawaii; seven stepsisters, Stella Fisher of Paragould, Ark., Zella Hill of Gideon, Gertie Kachadorian of Granite City, Ill., Irene Foreman of Matthews, Effie Freeman of Fort Smith, Ark., Cleo Cossey of Kennett and Nancy Russell of Jonesboro, Ark.; and two stepbrothers, Roscoe Book of Greenbrier, Ark., and Dickie Book of Frailey.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in Richards Funeral Home at New Madrid with the Rev. Bob Burnes officiating.

Burial will follow in Maple Cemetery at Caruthersville.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	7	8
Anheuser Busch	35½	36
Olson Bros	1	1¼
Martha Manning	1¼	1¾
Pabst Brewing	16	16½
Chase Nat	7¾	8¾
Wetterau	16½	17
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		23¼
American Tel & Tel		48½
American Motors		7¾
Calvert Exp		6¼
Chrysler		17¼
Columbia Gas		21¼
Eaton Mfg.		27¾
Ford Motors		51
General Motors		49½
Interstate Brands		7½
Malone & Hyde		24
Mid South Util		13¼
J. C. Penney		71½
New England Elect		15½
Occidental Pet		10½
WalMart Stores		15¾

$10,090 awarded in damage suit

CHARLESTON-- James L. Bloomfield and his wife, Leona Bloomfield, were awarded $10,090 of New Madrid by a Circuit Court jury Wednesday night in their personal damages suit against H. B. Campbell of New Madrid.

The suit stemmed from an automobile accident on Jan. 20, 1972 in Decatur Ala. in which the Bloomfield car was struck from behind by the Campbell car.

The Bloomfields sustained neck injuries and were awarded $5,500 for their personal injuries and $4,590 for damages to their 1971 automobile.

The verdict on the case—heard on a change of venue from New Madrid County—was returned after 33 minutes of deliberation by the jury.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat and soybean futures were somewhat higher on the Chicago Board of Trade today, but corn and oats prices were mostly weak.

On the opening, Chicago wheat futures were 1 to 3 cents a bushel higher, May 3.70; Gulf hard red was not traded; soybeans were unchanged to 3 higher, May 5.41; corn was 2½ lower to 1 higher, May 2.73½ and oats were unchanged to ¾ lower, May 1.24

Dominoes the game in 'Checkerboard Square'

East Prairie has a small park known locally as "Checkerboard Square." Not many games of checkers are staged there anymore because that game has been replaced by the latest rage, dominoes. From left are Richard Mathis, Harry Mayabb, W. C. Turnbull and Osie Lee Edwards, who made a game of it Friday in the bright spring weather.

(Daily Standard photo)

Malden names top honor students

MALDEN — Miss Carol Riggs has been named valedictorian of the 1974 graduating class of Malden High School, heading the list of the 10 top ranking students of the class with a 10.39 grade point average.

Miss Mary Byrum is salutatorian of the class and will graduate with a 10.05 grade average.

The remainder of the list of top 10 ranking students, and their grade point averages, include:

Miss Brenda Haskins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Haskins, 9.91; Miss Linda McCoin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don McCoin, 9.90; Bob Benjamin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Benjamin, 9.53; Sam Park, son of Tom Park, 9.47; Sherri Haworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Haworth, 9.36; Debbie Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Moore, 9.22; Peggy Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carr, 9.17; and Richard Samons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Samons, 8.96.

Miss Riggs is the daughter of Mrs. Juanita Riggs and plans to attend Southwestern University at Memphis, Tenn., where she has been named a Southwestern scholar. She will work toward a degree in biological science.

She has received numerous subject awards throughout her four- year career at Malden High School, including physical science, biology, chemistry, albebra II, world history and English I, II and III. She was named the Betty Crocker Family Leader of Tomorrow for 1973-74; took an honorable mention at the 1974 annual invitational art contest at Arkansas State University in Jonesboro, Ark., and was voted "Most Likely to Succeed" in the 1973-74 MHS Who's Who election.

Miss Riggs was a member of the Pep Club her freshman and sophomore years; held membership in the Beta Club her sophomore, junior and senior years, serving as club reporter as a senior; was a member and secretary of the Palette Club her junior year; a member of the Drama Club as a senior; and was a Girl Scout her freshman, sophomore and senior years, this year serving as troop president.

Miss Byrum, 18, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Byrum. After graduation, she plans to attend the School of Nursing of Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis.

She is a three-year member of the Beta Club and participated in band for two years. She was chosen for all-division band her sophomore year. She took part in Pep Club activities for three years and as a junior and a senior was a varsity cheerleader. She served as a student tutor for two years and during her senior year serves as organizations editor for the school annual and as classes editor for the Waves school newspaper staff. She was named October student of the month and received the typing award her junior year.

Miss Byrum is Miss Malden of 1974 and was a member of the football homecoming court her junior year.

Game postponed

The district tournament baseball game, scheduled today between Sikeston High School and Cape Girardeau Central High School, has been postponed because of rain and wet grounds until 4 p.m. tomorrow at VFW Stadium in Sikeston.

The game had been scheduled for 4 p.m. today.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Floow	Now.	Ch.
Chester	27	21.3	—.2
Cape Girardeau	32	26.3	—.4
New Madrid	34	21.6	—.3
Caruthersville	32	22.3	—.5

FORECAST

At Chester the river will rise .5 Friday; rise .7 Saturday; and rise .5 Sunday and crest at 23.0.

At Cape Girardeau the river will rise .1 Friday; rise .5 Saturday; and rise .5 Sunday. The river will crest Monday at 27.5.

At New Madrid the river will fall .6 Friday; fall .5 Saturday; and fall .2 Sunday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall .3 Friday; fall .4 Saturday; and fall .6 Sunday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	16.2	—1.1
Paducah	39	17.4	—.9
Grand Chain	42	28.5	—.7
Cairo	40	30.3	—.5

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will fall .4 Friday; fall .4 Saturday; and fall .3 Sunday.

At Paducah the river will fall .4 Friday; fall .8 Saturday; and fall .4 Sunday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river will fall .5 Friday; fall .3 Saturday; and fall .2 Sunday.

Five Most Active

The Dow Jones Industrial Averages at noon were up 2.27 on a volume of 6.5 million shares.

NYSE MOST ACTIVE

1st Natl. City	41 1/8	—1/4
U.S.Leasing	14 3/4	—1/8
Kresge	34 3/8	—1/8
AT&T	49	—1/4
Ryder Systems	20	—1 1/8
LISTED STOCKS		
American Tele	49	
Anheuser Busch	36	1/2
Butler Nat	1	5/8
Cooper Tire	11	1/2
Evans Products	9	7/8
Feld Leasing	6	1/4
Ford	51	5/8
Manchester Life	2	3/4
General Motors	49	
InterCco	25	1/4
Malone & Hyde	24	
Mid Am. Gr. Plains		7/8
Noranda Mines	46	1/2
Pizza Inn	4	3/8
R. J. Reynolds	43	3/4
Redman	7	
Rival Mfg.	36	
St. Joe Mineral	35	7/8
Texaco	24	3/4
Transamerica	8	1/4
Wetterau Foods	17	1/8

These quotations were provided at 11 a.m. today by Don Sarno, Account Executive, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Inc. 220 N. Fourth St., St. Louis, Mo. 63102 Call Toll 1-800-392-3430

One-fourth of House members all but elected

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Nearly one-fourth of the Missouri House of Representatives has all but officially been elected, even though the first votes for those posts will not be cast until the August primary.

After the primary, the number of candidates virtually assured a seat in the House will swell to more than one-third of the 163 member chamber.

With all but 13 of the 163 incumbent House members having filed for re-election, candidates in 38 districts found themselves without opposition after the filing deadline Tuesday.

Included are 37 incumbents, both Democrats and Republicans and coming from areas throughout the state, and one challenger, who found himself in the same position when his only opposition, the incumbent, withdrew from the race Tuesday.

In 19 other districts, the only contest for the seats will be in the primary election because only candidates from one party have filed.

Unless a write-in candidate can put on a strong showing, those 57 persons will capture the seats uncontested.

In the state Senate, where only 17 of the 34 denators will be up for re-election this year, 14 incumbents have filed and five of them have no opposition either for the primary or general elections. A sixth incumbent has only a primary challenger.

Sens. Earl Blackwell, D-Hillsboro, John W. Joynt, D-St. Louis, and Don Owens, R-Gerald, have not filed for re-election.

In the House, where six incumbents have filed for state Senate races, the seven not filing for another term are Cloy E. Whitney, R-Kirksville, Tim Ryan, D-Kansas City, Bill J. Crigler, D-Fayette, William A. Peterson, D-Marshall, Joseph F. Fender, R-St. Louis, Clovis Sivils, R-Rich Hill, and John W. Webb, R-Webb City, who withdrew Tuesday after originally filing.

For a non-presidential election, however, the number of candidates to file for both the House and the Senate remained about the same as four years ago. In 1970, there were 452 House candidates for the primary compared with 424 this year, and candidates for state Senate jumped from 32 in 1970 to 42 this year.

New uniform funding method being sought

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Efforts to develop a uniform method for preparation of the bills to appropriate funds for the operation of state government will get under way soon, according to the speaker of the Missouri House, Rep. Richard J. Rabbitt, D-St. Louis.

The chairmen of the House and Senate appropriations committees will be asked to meet with members of the governor's staff, the Missouri Public Expenditures Group and other interested citizens to form a special committee for that purpose, Rabbitt said Wednesday.

"By developing and adopting a uniform method which will be adhered to by all concerned, we all can more easily and efficiently obtain our mutual goals," he said.

The call for a committee was apparently prompted by the dispute which arose during budget consideration this year. The House appropriations chief, Jay Russell, D-Florissant, wanted to institute itemized budgeting while Senate chairman Norman Merrell, D-Monticello, favored lump-sum appropriations.

Efforts to compromise forced the legislature to exceed its deadline for passage of the appropriations bills by 17 hours.

"I feel," Rabbitt said, "(the committee) will help develop a more flexible budget and at the same time help us obtain more accountability."

With the legislative appropriations committees authorized to work between regular sessions of the legislature, Rabbitt indicated that a uniform method could be developed in time to avoid next year the problems encountered during this year's appropriations process.

"Popeye the Sailor" was such a popular comic strip character that the town fathers of Crystal City, Tex., a spinach-growing center, erected a statue of the hero in its town square on March 20, 1937.

Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Friday: 4,000 hogs, 100 cattle and 25 sheep.

Hogs 5,000; Butchers 50-75 lower. Sows 25-50 lower.

US 1-2 200-230 lb butchers 29.75-30.00; US 1-3 200-230 lbs 29.50-29.75; 230-250 lbs 28.5029.50.

US 1-3 300-400 lb sows 24.0024.50; 400-600 lbs 23.50.

Boars under 250 lbs 25.00; over 250 lbs 23.50.

Cattle 1,000; supply mostly feeders for regular Thursday auction. Cows weak to 50 lower. Bulls steady to 50 lower.

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He will be accompanied by Dr. W. Maion Rice, journalism service center director at Southern Illinois University.

Harry Naeter, publisher of the Cape Girardeau Southeast Missourian, will host the noon luncheon May 11.

The SeMo Press Association covers an area from DeSoto to the Arkansas line and west to Piedmont.

Officers this year are Joyce H. Peerman of Jackson, president; Ralph Clayton of Caruthersville, first vice president; Paul Paulter of Perryville, second vice president; Wade Roop of De Soto, secretary; and Marvin E. Proffer of Jackson, treasurer.

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permit flexible scheduling of duty hours. Beginning Jan. 1, 1975, overtime pay will be required for hours worked beyond 240 in a period of 28 consecutive days.

Secretary of Labor Peter J. Brennan said passage of the new amendments "marks a great day for American working men and women. This law is important not only because it boosts the federal minimum, but also because it extends coverage to nearly seven and a half million additional workers."

"A minimum wage," Brennan said, "is a basic measure of a nation's progress and the value it places on citizens at the lower end of the economic ladder. The new minimum wage law maintains this measure of progress while protecting the economy, with wages raised by annual stages to guard against inflation."

Persons needing further information should contact the nearest Employment Standards Administration Wage- Hour Division. There is a wage and hour division office at 339 Broadway Ave. in Cape Girardeau. The telephone number is 334-5943.

World news in Brief

SAIGON, South Vietnam (AP) — The Saigon command for the first time today acknowledged some of its air and artillery strikes "may have" spilled across the Cambodian border as heavy fighting continued for the fifth day. The command denied, however, that its ground forces crossed into Cambodia, contradicting reports from the field and other military sources. It claimed 175 North Vietnamese troops from the 5th Division were killed in fighting today and Wednesday at two points about 30 miles apart on the border, 35 miles northwest and 50 miles west of Saigon. At least 12 government soldiers were reported killed and 26 wounded.

JERUSALEM (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger moved on to Israel today to begin the real work of his latest Middle East peace mission. Kissinger conceded that the negotiations to try to bring Israel and Syria to an agreement for a withdrawal of Israeli troops on the Golan Heights would be "very difficult." "The main difficulty is the distrust between the Syrians and the Israelis." he told newsmen. "If we can contribute to removing that, then we are reaching a settlement." Sadat was more optimistic, declaring: "I have full confidence my friend, Dr. Henry, will achieve a disengagement."

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — The United States Army is closing a headquarters at Sattahip, on the south coast of Thailand, from which supplies for the Cambodian army were directed, the Thai Foreign Ministry announced today. It said this will trim 2,100 American troops from the 34,500 still stationed in Thailand. No information was available from U.S. military authorities on how American supplies to the Cambodian goverment will be directed, but a Thai spokesman said U.S. military units from the Bangkok area would be moved to Sattahip to occupy some of the facilities being vacated at the $35-million port the United States built and operates there.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — The United Nations General Assembly's special session has finished its work. The assembly adopted a third world proposal for a special fund to provide emergency aid to poor countries hard hit by high food and fuel prices. It also approved an action program to create a new relationship between rich and poor countries. The United States accused the session of yielding to a "steamroller" that blocked agreement on an American program for $4 billion worth of emergency aid. But U.S. Ambassador John A. Scali told the assembly that the Washington still intends to "do its share" to ease hardships of needy countries.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Judiciary Committee has charged President Nixon with failure to comply with its subpoena for Watergate tapes. The committee's chairman and chief counsel said Nixon's noncompliance could be an impeachable offense. By a narrow 20-18 vote that shattered its bipartisan approach to the inquiry, the committee directed Chairman Peter J. Rodino Jr., D-N.J., to notify Nixon that his delivery of edited transcripts instead of tapes does not meet the committee's request. John Doar, chief counsel for the panel, said: "In this country there are no exceptions to the command of law." But the committee declined to recommend that Nixon be cited for contempt of Congress.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate has decided the government needs a special watchdog agency over inflation, but has buried an attempt to restore authority for new wage and price controls. Acting less than 24 hours after the administration's old controls program expired, the Senate voted 44 to 41 in favor of an amendment giving the administration authority to monitor wages and prices for another year. The amendment also gives the administration powers to enforce anti-inflation commitments made by several hundred major corporations before the controls program expired. However, the Senate rejected 56 to 32 an attempt to renew authority for standby wage and price controls.

WASHINGTON (AP) — A bill directing the states to reform their automobile-insurance systems to guarantee compensation for all accident victims has won Senate approval. The 53-42 vote sent the no-fault bill to the House, where the Commerce Committee has yet to start work on the question.

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Eisenbach provides punch

CHARLESTON--Sikeston shortstop Rick Eisenbach is suddenly sprouting a new set of muscles. After going through all of last year and the first eleven games this season without an extra- base hit, the senior has belted two homers and two doubles to raise his already good batting average to .435 and his r- b- i total to 11 in 15 games, a good mark for a leadoff man. Yesterday afternoon Eisenbach rapped three hits, including a homerun and a double, to lead an 11- hit Sikeston attack as the Bulldogs took Charleston 8- 1. Centerfielder Donny Taylor also poked a shot out of the park in the fifth as Sikeston ran its homerun total to 14 in 15 games.

Sikeston was not impressive in the win. About the only impressive thing about the Bulldogs, other than Eisenbach's hitting, was the hurling of Rich Blankenship. Sikeston's senior curveballer had a good one going against the Jays and allowed just four hits, two of them pop flies, while fanning eight for his fourth win. Sikeston was lackadaisical in the field and quiet on the bench, an item that worried Sikeston coaching. The team appeared to be pointing ahead to Thursday's 3:30 game at home against Cape, admittedly a much more important game. But, except for the fact that Charleston's top winner, Junior Delay, had gone earlier in the week against Poplar Bluff, the game might have been much closer.

Except for the fourth, when a couple of misplays let them score a run, the Jays never threatened Sikeston's hurler. Then, when Blankenship was rested in the seventh, Mitch Walker came in and dazzled the Blue Jay batters with another curve, fanning the side around a short hit on a pop fly and a walk. Both pitchers could probably come back against Cape, but Kenny Stokes will start the game. Stokes defeated Central 10- 6 a week ago, but has not been up to his earlier standards on the mound lately. Sikeston has beaten Cape four times in a row dating back to two years ago, but Stokes will need his good stuff to defeat the Tigers in the must- win district game. Just one loss will once again end the year for the talented team, so they'll have to play their top game. An effort such as the one against Charleston won't do at all.

BOX SCORE:

SIKESTON (8)

	AB	R	H
Eisenbach SS	4	2	3
Self SS	0	0	0
Leible C	3	0	1
Shell, C- 3B	2	0	0
Stokes 3B	3	2	1
Walker CF- 3B- P	1	0	0
Saulter 1B	3	0	1
Miller 1B- C	1	0	1
Colwick LF	1	1	0
Hesselrode RF	2	1	1
Lawrence RF	3	1	1
Deal 2B	1	0	1
Taylor CF- LF	3	1	1
Love 1B	0	0	0
Blankenship P- LF	3	0	0
	30	8	11

CHARLESTON (1)

	AB	R	H
Smoot 2B	3	0	1
Delay 1B- LF	3	0	1
Hatchel CF	2	0	0
Laster PH	1	0	0
McDowell LF- P	2	1	1
Johnson 3B	3	0	0
Pierce RF	3	0	1
Schott SS	2	0	0
Collier C	0	0	0
Ayers C	2	0	1
Bailey P	1	0	0
Max Ph- LF- 1B	2	0	0
	24	1	5

SIKESTON
1 0 4 1 2 0 0 --- 8 11 0
CHARLESTON
0 0 0 1 0 0 0 --- 1 5 2

E- Johnson, Schott. DP- Sikeston 1, Charleston 1. LOB- Sikeston 9, Charleston 6. 2B- Schatzley, Eisenbach, Leible. HR- Eisenbach, Leible. SB- Eisenbach, Leible, Stokes 2, Colwick, Deal, McDowell. WP- Blankenship 2, Walker, Bailey. PB- Collier, Shell. HBP- Self (by McDowell). T- 1:54. A- 34.

SIKESTON PITCHING

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	BF	HR
Blankenship (W)								
	6	4	1	1	3	8	23	0
Walker	1	1	0	0	1	3	5	0

CHARLESTON PITCHING

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	BF	HR
Bailey (L)	5	9	8	7	3	4	28	2
McDowell	2	2	0	0	1	0	10	0

Oran upsets Bernie

BERNIE--- The Oran Eagles upset the second seeded Bernie Mules in the District baseball tournament here Wednesday afternoon 7- 3 and Twin Rivers pasted the Puxico Indians 12- 2.

Sophomore Jim Anderson put the stops to the Mules offensive attack with a four hitter. He struckout nine batters enroute to the victory. Ruben White took the loss for Bernie. Anderson has allowed only two earned runs in his last 21 innings of pitching.

The win was the fourth in succession for the fast coming Eagles who now have evened their season record at 6- 6.

Bernie jumped on top in the top of the third inning scoring an earned and an unearned run to lead 2- 0. Oran wasted little time in erasing the lead as the Eagles came roaring back to score three runs with a double by Lynn Burlison doing most of the damage as he drove in two runs. Burlison went 3- 4 at the plate with three rbi's in the game.

Oran plated four more runs in the bottom of the fifth as Keith Campbell knocked in two runs with a single. Campbell also had three hits in the game.

Tom Short fired a one-hitter at the PHS Indians as Mike Reed took the loss.

The Royals opened up early against Reed scoring four times in the top of the first and never let up, scoring four more in the second.

Oran plays Twin Rivers at 3:30 Friday afternoon in the quarterfinals of District 11.

Prep data

THURSDAY'S SCHEDULE

GOLF

Dexter at Cape
Poplar Bluff at Kennett
Perryville at Sikeston
Blytheville at Caruthersville

BASEBALL

District Tournaments
Cape Central at Sikeston 3:30
Perryville at Poplar Bluff

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

Sikeston 8, Charleston 1
District tournaments
Kelly 6, East Prairie 0
Oran 7, Bernie 3
Twin Rivers 12, Puxico 2
North Pemiscot 8, Clarkton 4
Delta C-7 9, Gideon 4

MU eyes chiefs house

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Kansas State and Missouri may square off this football season in Arrowhead Stadium here, home of the National Football League Kansas City Chiefs.

Kansas State Athletic Director Ernie Barrett plans to present a proposal Friday to the Kansas State Athletic Council that it endorse the switch from Manhattan, Kan., for the game, scheduled Nov. 2.

"We're going to discuss it, and from a financial standpoint I think it has some merit," Barrett said.

Jennings, Crews star

HAYTI — Vernon Jennings and Danny Crews turned in outstanding pitching performances Wednesday afternoon and led their teams into the quarterfinals of the class A district baseball playoffs.

Jennings checked Clarkton, 8-4, allowing only a pair of hits while fanning 10 Reindeer batters while his North Pemiscot teammates banged out an even dozen safeties and sped to an 8-0 lead through five innings and breezed to the victory.

Crews led his Delta C-7 teammates to a 9-4 verdict over Gideon, allowing only three hits while fanning eight and walking five. Gerald Murphy was tagged with the defeat.

Tournament action resumes this afternoon as Parma squares off against Campbell at 2 p.m. and Hayti goes against Southland at 4 p.m.

Jackson stars

EAST PRAIRIE — Jeff 'Jethro' Jackson hurled the Kelly Hawks past the EPHS Eagles, 6-0, in the quarterfinals of the District baseball tournament here Wednesday afternoon.

Jackson gave up three hits and loser Tim Bard allowed only five safeties to the Hawks.

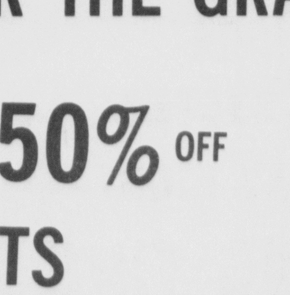
Coach Jim Thornsberry used the old squeeze play to score the first two runs of the game as Ken Hulshof squeezed in the first tally in the bottom of the second inning and Doug Johnson had the honor in the bottom of the fourth. Jeff Jackson hit a homerun in the bottom of the fifth with one on to put the game out of reach.

Kelly plays New Madrid Monday afternoon in the semi-finals.

Stars

By The Associated Press

BATTING—Gary Matthews, Giants, ripped three singles and his second home run of the season, driving in three runs in San Francisco's 13-8 pounding of the Philadelphia Phillies.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Large catches at N.M.

On their first Mississippi River jug fishing trip of the season Monday, a New Madrid team composed, from left, of Cloyce Poore, Flip Dees and Bob Henrickson claimed a 45- pound catch in a two-hour period which included a 38-pound catfish. (Daily Standard photo)

Smith has good start

Randy Smith's debut for the Salinas Angels of the California Class A minor league team will be one to remember.

The fireballing lefthander from Arbyrd, Mo., went nine innings in his first game of the season, allowing only three hits and two walks while fanning three and holding his opponents scoreless.

Gary Blaylock of Malden, playing with the Visalia, Calif. Mets in the California class A league, drove in three runs, hit one homer and a pair of doubles and fashioned a .263 batting average the first week of the season with five hits in 19 times at bat.

For Steve Coulson of Fisk, the season got off on a low note. Coulson is playing for the West Haven Yanks in the Eastern class AA division. The sharp fielding former Three Rivers Community College graduate had only a pair of hits in 16 at bats during the first week of the season.

No report was received on Mark Littell of Gideon and Greg Buys of Kennett.

Pro basketball

By The Associated Press
All Series Best-of-7
NBA
Finals

Sunday, April 28
Boston 98, Mileaukee 83
Tuesday, April 30
Milwaukee 105, Boston 96; Series tied 1-1
Friday, May 3
Milwaukee at Boston, N., national TV
Sunday, May 5
Milwaukee at Boston, time to be announced, national TV
Tuesday, May 7
Boston at Milwaukee, if necessary, time to be announced, national TV
Friday, May 10
Milwaukee at Boston, if necessary, time to be announced, national TV
Sunday, May 12
Boston at Milwaukee, if necessary, time to be announced, national TV

ABA
Finals
Tuesday, April 30
New York 89, Utah 85; New York leads 1-0
Saturday, May 4
Utah at New York, N., national TV
Monday , May 6
New York at Utah, N.
Wednesday, May 8
New York at Utah, N.
Friday, May 10
Utah at New York, if necessary, time to be announced.
Saturday, May 11
New York at Utah, N., if necessary, national TV
Tuesday, May 14
Utah at New York, N., if necessary, national TV

BASKETBALL
DENVER — Alex Hannum, whose three- year contract expired, was fired as coach, general manager and preisdent of the American Basketball Association Denver Rockets by the team's owners.

Ellis hits 'em

Dock Ellis mowed them down Wednesday night- literally.

Losing all control, the Pittsburgh Pirate pitcher hit Cincinnati's first three batters and not only caused some discomfort but also tied a major league record.

"I've never seen anyone that wild," said Cincinnati Manager Sparky Anderson after Ellis, control problems led to a 5-3 victory over the Pirates. "I've never seen anyone hit the first three batters like that."

Pete Rose, Joe Morgan and Dan Driessen were struck in the back by Ellis pitches and that tied a record held by eight others. Emerson Hawley did it twice -with St. Louis in 1874 and with Pittsburgh in 1896. The last pitcher to do it was Raul Sanchez of Cincinnati in 1960.

In the National League's other games, the SanFrancisco Giants bombed the Philadelphia Phillies 13-8; the San Diego Padres beat the Montreal Expos 5-1; the Atlanta Braves nipped the St. Louis Cardinals 6-5; the Houston Astros tripped the Chicago Cubs 11-7 and;

In the American League, the New York Yankees nudged the Oakland A's 4-3; the California Angels stopped the Boston Red Sox 4-2; the Detroit Tigers turned back the Kansas City Royals 2-1; the Milwaukee Brewers ripped the Texas Rangers 11-3 and the Chicago White Sox blanked the Baltimore Orioles 2-0.

Giants 13, Phillies 8, Doubles by Garry Maddox, Bobby Bonds and Steve Ontiveres sparked a nine-run, fifth- inning rally that powered San Francisco's rout of Philadelphia.

The Giants sent 15 batters to the plate in the fifth, overcoming a 6-3 Philadelphia lead with six hits and six bases on balls.

Padres 5, Expos 1

Rookie Dave Freisleben pitched a four- hitter for his second victory in as many major league starts, leading San Diego over Montreal for its fifth straight victory.

Astros 11, Cubs 7

Houston's Lee May hit a pair of two-run singles, rallying Houston past Chicago.

Braves 6, Cardinals 5

Pinch- hitter Frank Tepedino broke a tie with a ninth - inning single, triggering Atlanta past St. Louis. Craig Robinson led off the rally with a single and walks to Ralph Garr and Leo Foster eventually loaded the bases for Tepedino, who drilled a base hit to right.

Dodgers 2, Mets 1

Steve Garvey's run-scoring single in the 14th inning off relief pitcher Harry Parker led Los Angeles over New York. Tom Seaver pitched splendidly for the Mets, striking out a major league season high of 16 batters before retiring after 12 innings.

Sports

ANAHEIM (AP) — The Southern California Sun of the World Football League announced the signing Tuesday of Tim Guy, defensive lineman from the University of Oregon.

The Sun signed Guy, a 6-foot- 6, 247- pounder, after trading an undisclosed draft choice to the Philadelphia Bell, which drafted him in the WFL's ninth round. He was drafted in the fifth round by Buffalo in the National Football League.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Two college players - running back Dean Dreher of Chio Northern and Guard Bob Martin of Bowling Green - have signed with the Jacksonville Sharks of the World Football League.

The Sharks now have 86 players under contract. Coach Bud Asher said he expects to go to training camp in June with about 100.

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League reportedly will sign wide receiver Harold Carmichael to a multi- year contract that will keep him from jumping to the World Football League.

The contract apparently is in the $300,000 range. Carmichael was the Eagles leading receiver last year, catching 67 passes for 1,116 yards, and, along with quarterback Roman Gabriel, helped Philadelphia become the No. 1 passing team in the NFL.

ATLANTA (AP) — A proposal to rename Atlanta Stadium in honor of home run king Hank Aaron of the Atlanta Braves is expected to encounter little opposition from members of the Atlanta- Fulton County Recreation Authority.

The proposal was made Monday by Mayor Maynard Jackson.

Recreation Authority member Lou Zakas said Tuesday he would vote for the proposal. "It would be a very deserving tribute to a great ball player who brought international recognition to Atlanta."

COLLEGE FOOTBALL
INDIANAPOLIS — Frank Navarro, football coach at Columbia University the past six years, was named head coach of Wabas College at Crawfordsville, Ind.

Standings

By The Associated Press
American League

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	14	10	.583	—
Milwaukee	10	8	.556	1
Baltimore	11	9	.550	1
Detroit	10	10	.500	2
Cleveland	10	11	.576	2½
Boston	10	13	.535	3½
West				
Texas	13	9	.591	—
California	12	11	.522	1½
Oakland	10	11	.476	2½
Chicago	9	11	.450	3
Minnesota	9	11	.450	3
Kansas C.	8	12	.400	4

Wednesday's Games
New York 4, Oakland 3
California 4, Boston 2
Detroit 2, Kansas City 1
Milwaukee 11, Texas 3
Chicago 2, Balitmore 0
Only games scheduled
Thursday's Games
Detroit Coleman 4-1 at Kansas City Fitzmorris 2-0, N.
Only game scheduled.
Friday's Games
Cleveland at Oakland, N.
Baltimore at California, N.
New York at Kansas City, N.
Detroit at Minnesota, N
Chicago at Milwaukee, N.
Texas at Boston, N.

National League

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	13	10	.565	—
Montreal	9	8	.529	1
Philadelphia	10	12	.455	2½
Chicago	7	12	.369	4
New Yrok	8	14	.384	4½
Pittsburgh	6	13	.316	5
West				
Los Angeles	18	6	.750	—
Houston	15	10	.600	3½
Cincinnati	11	9	.550	5
Atlanta	12	12	.500	6
San Fran	12	12	.500	6
San Diego	11	14	.440	7½

Wedndesday's Games
San Francisco 13, Philadelphia 8
San Diego 5, Montreal 1
Cincinnati 5, Pittsburgh 3
Atlanta 6, St. Louis 5
Houston 11, Chicago 7
Los Angeles 2, New York 1, 14 innings
Thursday's Games
Atlanta Harrison 2-2 at St. Louis Siebert 2-1 or Foster 1-1
Cincinnati Norman 1-1 at Pittsburgh Reuss 0-2, N.
Friday's Games
Cincinnati at Chicago
St. Louis at Houston, N.
San Francisco at Montreal, N.
San Diego at New York, N.
Los Angeles at Philadelphia, N.
Atlanta at Pittsburgh, N.

Leaders

By The Associated Press
National League

BATTING (50 at bats)—Reitz, StL, .420; Gross, Htn, .375; Maddox, SF, .370.

RUNS—Brock, StL, 24; Cedeno, Htn, 22; Bonds, SF, 21.

RUNS BATTED IN—Cedeno, Htn, 25; Garvey, LA, 22; T.Perez, Cin, 21; Wynn, LA, 21.

HITS—Reitz, StL, 37; Maddox, SF, 37; R.Smith, StL, 34; Garr, Atl, 32; Watson, Htn, 32.

DOUBLES—Rose, Cin, 9; Concepcion, Cin, 9; Simmons, StL, 8; Garvey, LA, 8; Reitz, StL, 7; Baker, Atl, 7; Cedeno, Htn, 7.

TRIPLES—Garr, Atl, 3; Bonds, SF, 3; 10 Tied With 2.

HOME RUNS—H.Aaron, Atl, 7; T.Perez, Cin, 7; Garvey, LA, 7; Wynn, LA, 7; Hebner, Pgh, 6.

STOLEN BASES—Brock, StL, 14; Cedeno, Htn, 14; Lopes, LA, 14; Morgan, Cin, 9; Bowa, Phi, 8; E.Hernandz, SD, 8.

PITCHING (3 Decisions)—John, LA, 50, 1.000, 1.76 Koosman, NY, 3-0, 1.000, 2.63 Brewer, LA, 4-1, .800, 3.00.

STRIKEOUTS—Seaver, NY, 44; P.Niekro, Atl, 41; Messrsmth, LA, 36.

American League

BATTING (50 at bats)—Carew, Min, .398; R.Jackson, Oak, .390; Stanton, Cal, .390; Piniella, NY, .367.

RUNS—G.Nettles, NY, 18; R.Jackson, Oak, 18; D.Nelson, Tex, 17; Murcer, NY, 16; Rivers, Cal, 16; Bando, Oak, 16.

RUNS BATTED IN—R.Jackson, Oak, 27; G.Nettles, NY, 23; Burroughs, Tex, 20.

HITS—Carew, Min, 35; R.Jackson, Oak, 32; Rudi, Oak, 29.

DOUBLES—Rudi, Oak, 10; Yaztremski, Bsn, 7; Healy, KC, 7; R.Jackson, Oak, 7; 6 Tied With 6.

TRIPLES—Garcia, Mil, 3; White, NY, 3; Valentine, Cal, 3; Rivers, Cal, 3; Otis, KC, 3.

HOME RUNS—G.Nettles, NY, 11; R.Jackson, Oak, 10; Yaztremski, Bsn, 6; Burroughs, Tex, 6.

STOLEN BASES—Patek, KC, 11; Rivers, Cal, 8; Wohlford, KC, 8; Lowenstein, Cle, 7; R.Jackson, Oak, 7; D.Nelson, Tex, 7.

PITCHING (3 Decisions)—Hiller, Det, 3-0, 1.000, 0.36 Stottlemyre, NY, 5-1, .833, 2.45 Jenkins, Tex, 5-1, .833, 1.84.

STRIKEOUTS—N.Ryan, Cal, 51; Blyleven, Min, 39; G.Perry,

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NFL has most productive day

The National Football League had one of its most productive days of 1974 Wednesday...and its season still is five months away.

The NFL generally has adopted two lines of attack in attempting to blunt the effect of its rival, the World Football League, and the established league scored victories on both fronts.

One area is the courtroom.

The other is the bargaining table.

In Dallas, a State District Court judge issued a temporary injunction prohibiting the WFL from grabbing any more players from the Dallas Cowboys.

Meanwhile in Philadelphia, Harold Carmichael signed with the Eagles, and in Los Angeles, Tom Mack signed with the Rams, both players turning down larger money offers from the WFL. Carmichael, a wide receiver who led the league with 67 receptions last year, signed a three- year contract for an estimated $175,000. Mack, an All Pro offensive guard who played out his option and would have become a free agent Tuesday midnight, signed a multi-year contract.

Carmichael's attorney, James N. Solano, elaborated on what could become a NFL rallying cry: "More considerations than just money."

"We did turn down more money from the WFL than we get from the Eagles," Solane said. "But you have to figure that playing in the NFL, with its pension plan, other fringe benefits, endorsements, is worth $500,000.

"So actually there is not that substantial a difference between the WFL and NFL offers."

That's apparently the NFL line in its battle to stay competitive with the WFL in the bidding war for players' services.

And Paul Brown, coach and general manager of the NFL's Cincinnati Bengals, gave the same advice to Bill Bergey when the star linebacker was weighing a WFL offer of $525,000 for three years from the Virginia Ambassadors.

"I said, 'Bill, sometimes all that glitters isn't gold,"

Brown testified in Cincinnati's district court where the Bengals have filed a preliminary injunction against Bergey, who did accept the offer, and the WFL.

"He said, 'Coach, the figures are beautiful," Brown added.

The loss of Carmichael and Mack, when the WFL was courting, was a disappointment, but the decision in Dallas has the more serious implications for the new league.

Bergey signed for the 1976 season since he had another year on his Cincinnati contract but his name gave prestige and publicity to the Virginia franchise, commodities it needs as it opens its first season this fall.

But if the injunction against the WFL tampering with the Dallas players sticks- and the WFL has 20 days to appeal- then the rest of the NFL might be inclined to go to court.

This could prevent the WFL from making future signings, depriving the league of publicity and commitments from established players.

Cardinal box score

National at St. Louis

ATLANTA	AB	R	H	BI
Garr rf	4	2	1	3
Foster 2b	4	1	2	1
Murrell 1b	4	0	1	0
Tepedino 1b	1	0	1	1
HAaron lf	4	0	1	0
Office cf	0	0	0	1
Baker cf	5	0	1	0
MPerez 3b	2	1	0	0
Evans 3b	0	0	0	0
Casanova c	4	0	0	0
CRobinsn ss	4	2	2	0
Morton p	3	0	0	0
Oates ph	0	0	0	0
Frisella p	0	0	0	0
Total	35	6	9	6

ST LOUIS	AB	R	H	BI
Brock lf	5	1	2	0
Sizemore 2b	4	0	1	0
RSmith rf	3	1	1	1
Simmons c	3	0	0	0
McBride cf	4	1	1	0
Reitz 3b	4	1	2	1
Torre 1b	4	0	1	0
Tyson ss	3	0	0	1
McCrvr ph	1	0	0	0
Curtis p	2	0	0	0
JCruz ph	1	0	0	0
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Curtis	7	7	4	4
Garman	1 1	1	1	1
Folkers	1-3	0	1	1
Pena	2-3	1	0	0

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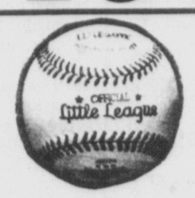
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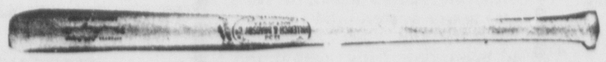
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What's the law?

The case of the flirty defendant

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Harry, being sued by Mr. Bobbin, figured his case was as strong as his weakest wink. Consequently, during the trial, he was caught sheepishly fluttering his eye lashes at two female jurors and was reprimanded by the judge for doing so. In fact, he was even caught and reprimanded for winking at one of the male jurors who gayly returned the wink. Nevertheless, the trial proceeded and, ultimately, Harry won the case.

Outraged, Mr. Bobbin demanded a new trial.

"Harry didn't win on the facts," he protested. "He won on his charms. He was flirting with everyone in the courtroom - except the judge."

"Nonsense," responded Harry. "Bobbin is just sore that the jury found my personality less obnoxious than he did. But, that doesn't entitle him to a new trial. He thought the jury would hate me but, obviously, they loved me."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you grant Mr. Bobbin a new trial?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that Mr. Bobbin was well aware of Harry's highly improper conduct during the trial, but he chose to raise no objection. He may have relied upon the strength of his case in not doing so or he may have thought that Harry's conduct would affect the jury adversely and work to his benefit. His miscalculation does not automatically entitle him to a second chance. If he wanted a new trial, concluded the judge, he should have asked for it on those occasions when Harry was caught flirting.

(Based upon a 1969 United States District Court Decision)

DR. LAWRENCE E. LAMB

Exercise and bust size

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D

DEAR DR. LAMB — Here is a question of interest to many women. Health spas, exercise gyms, etc. give women exercises to build up the pectoral muscles, claiming it enlarges the breast. I have read that the pectoral muscles, for some reason, cannot be built up in women as they can in men. Is it a waste of time for women to indulge in weight lifting exercises, etc. which are increasingly popular in health spas?

I have seen women lifting as much as 60-pound bars. Is this harmful? If it is true that a woman can build muscle in this area, just how much can she expect to gain in inches? Health spas give such exaggerated figures. They also claim that these exercises will help the sagging breast. Is this true or false?

DEAR READER — Such exercises will not enlarge the breast itself. But, by building up the pectoral muscles the breasts rest upon, even a small breast can be made to look larger. It's like taking a small diamond and improving its appearance by improving its setting.

Yes, women can increase the size of their pectoral muscles. Any healthy muscle will grow in relation to the amount of physical stress or tension it is required to contract against. As you increase the load, its size grows and grows. Endurance exercises are used to improve the heart and vascular system and strength exercises are used to grow muscles.

There is nothing harmful in weight lifting, done properly, for either healthy men or women. It can even be good for one's health. Developing sufficient muscle mass also helps prevent fat deposits. Muscle tissue uses more calories at rest than a similar amount of fat tissue. Hence, it is easier to control weight if more of your body weight is muscle rather than fat.

I suspect that if you get any improvement in sagging, it will be minimal. A woman can improve her posture, and when she does this and stands up straight with her shoulders back, not slouched forward, there is often less sagging of the breastline.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Most of the time I am able to control my appetite. However, there are times when I seem to crave large amounts of food. After I overeat, I go to the bathroom where, by sticking my finger down my throat, I vomit all that I've overeaten. This has been going on over a period of two years.

Is there any chance I could hurt myself by doing this? So far I haven't noted any ill effects. Incidentally, I throw up food about four times a week. I am 49 years old.

I first read of this being done by the ancient Romans.

DEAR READER — You are right, the ancient Romans did do this, and then returned to the banquet hall to eat again. It isn't what I would recommend for weight control, but I suppose everyone has his price to pay for overeating.

About the only danger is that forceful vomiting can sometimes rupture a blood vessel in the bottom of the esophagus. A fairly massive bleeding can follow. I would think this unlikely as long as you didn't wretch too violently or force yourself too much.

There are more pleasant ways to keep your caloric intake down. To learn about them you might want to write for the "Losing Weight," booklet. Send 50 cents to cover costs to "Losing Weight," in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019.

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Frankly speaking

Taxpayer needs help to fight rising prices

In 1968 the inflation rate was 4.7 per cent. Since then the average annual increase has been 5.4 per cent. The rate jumped to 8.8 per cent in 1973, and is running at 14.5 for the first three months of this year.

If this trend continues, the cost of living will double every 14 years. A family of four, with an income of $12,000 per year, will need $17,614 in 1980 to keep the same standard of living.

But even with wage increases, the average wage earner has not been able to keep up.

Hitting Where It Hurts

Inflation is hitting where it hurts the most. Propane prices in Missouri skyrocketed to over 300 per cent above last year's prices. Food prices have climbed over 20 per cent in a year. No one has to tell a housewife what inflation means as she watches her food budget buy less and less.

At the same time, the Gross National Product, a measure of the nation's total output of goods and services, was down 5.8 per cent, the biggest drop since the recession in 1958. Shortages are plaguing the nation. Increased prices are not stimulating production.

The single most important factor in today's inflation is the increased cost of fuel. For instance, home fuel oil went up 61.6 per cent over last year. These increases are then reflected in almost every area of production.

Huge Oil Profits

Oil company profits made enormous jumps in the first three months of this year when compared to the same period last year. Gulf's profit, for example, increased 76 per cent; Texaco's 123 per cent. There is no justification for the oil price increases we have experienced in the past 12 months. I supported measures in the Senate to roll back oil price increases and tax away windfall profits. Both measures were opposed by the Administration, and the price rollback bill was vetoed.

As a consequence, the oil companies have their price increases and their windfall profits, and the American people see their paychecks worthless.

It is about time the taxpayer got some help. While some major oil companies are paying as little as 5 per cent of their gross income in federal taxes, individuals are paying 20 to 25 per cent.

I am supporting a bill which will close off tax loopholes which allow oil companies to write off 22½ per cent of their income as oil depletion and subtract all of the taxes and royalties they pay to foreign governments.

The small and middle income taxpayer cannot be expected to carry the entire tax burden of this country while corporations continue to have runaway profits. These corporations must pay their share.

The buying public purchased more than $54 million worth of boats and equipment, a drop of more than $3 million compared with 1973.

Tourism commission offers instant travel information

The Missouri Tourism Commission has announced a pilot program to provide timely travel information throughout the state and nation beginning on May 1. The program, in cooperation with Western Union, will make the information available to approximately 3,000 subscribers to Western Union's "TWX" system in Missouri, and roughly 50,000 nationwide.

According to Western Union officials, Missouri is the first state to provide travel data through their instant retrieval "TWX" system. Subscribers to the system in Missouri include most of the state's big corporations, hotels and motels and news media. By using Western Union equipment to call the Tourism Commission in Jefferson City during normal working hours, "TWX" subscribers will receive a printout of travel information that can be used to help their employees plan vacations or for news purposes.

Plans call for the travel report to be changed daily and, most likely, several times during the day, says Tourism Commission Director James Pasley. A typical report will contain data on gasoline availability in all sections of the state, a fishing report on major lakes, a listing of special events coming up and a Highway Patrol report on road conditions.

As an example, say an employee of Monsanto in St. Louis wants to plan a fishing weekend in southwest Missouri. By using that company's "TWX" system, he can get current information from the Tourism commission on the gas situation in that part of the state, the fishing conditions on the lakes and any road hazards he's likely to encounter on the way.

"This innovation will be an important aid to Missouri's travel industry," says Pasley. "For the first time, giant corporations, lodging facilities and news media will have up-to-the-minute travel information available for their employees, readers and listeners."

Looking Back

Barrett will resign city clerk position

50 years ago
May 2, 1924

Dr. R. E. Wiley and wife moved last week to Lilbourn from Risco, where they have been residing. Dr. Wiley has a farm in the vicinity of Risco and has decided he can look after it between calls as well from Lilbourn as Risco.

New Madrid-- Misses Dixie and Sybil Massengill, students at Teachers College, Cape Girardeau, spent the weekend with their parents, Attorney and Mrs. J. M. Massengill, of this city.

Mrs. Robert Mow will entertain Tuesday with a birthday party in honor of her daughter, Margaret, it being her birthday.

Mrs. A. W. Robertson of Poplar Bluff is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Sikes.

40 years ago
May 2, 1934

Mrs. Elsie Clodfelter of St. Louis visited relatives in Sikeston Saturday.

Malone Theatre, today, "George White's Scandals" with Rudy Valee, Jimmy Durante, Alice Faye, Adrienne Ames, Gregory Ratoff, Cliff Edwards, Dixie Dunbar, Gertrude Michael, Richard Carle, Warren Huymer, and George White.

Short funeral services were held at the family home Monday in Illmo for Mrs. Fannie Gray Carlson, 63 years old, who died of heart disease at her farm home.

Four young men from Sikeston are candidates for degrees at the graduation exercises at the University of Missouri at Columbia June 6. Candidates for the degree of bachelor of arts are Alexander L. Russell and Arch Somerville Russell, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Arch S. Russell, sr.; for the degree of bachelor of science in business administration, Glenn Woods Boyer, son of G. H. Boyer; and for the degree of bachelor of laws, Robert A. Dempster, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dempster.

30 years ago
May 2, 1944

Matthews-- Pfc. Douglas Hammock left Saturday after spending a 15- day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hammock.

L. M. Standley and E. R. Putnam, sr., are in St. Louis this week to take 32nd degree rites in Masonry.

Gene Kindred will go to Jefferson Barracks Monday to enter the armed forces. Mr. and Mrs. Kindred and their children returned from Richmond, Calif., on April 8.

Charles W. Chaney, 78, who had been ill for some time, died Tuesday at the home of his brother- in- law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Myers in Oran.

20 years ago
May 2, 1954

Randolph Stafford, 60, Route 4, Sikeston, died Sunday in the Delta Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyree Brown, Bell City, are parents of a baby boy born yesterday at the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Luber, Sikeston, are parents of a baby boy born yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White of Painton are parents of a baby boy born today.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rome Wilson of Lilbourn today.

The Rev. Earl E. Weis, who would have been pastor of Concordia Lutheran Church in Sikeston nine years on August 5, left today with his family for Hammond, Ind., where he has accepted the pastorate there of St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

A. C. "Jube" Barrett, for the past 20 years city clerk of Sikeston, is resigning his office effective June 7, but will remain in the office for some time to assist with the heavy business that will accumulate with the construction of the new sewer system and to assist John Vaughn, clerk- designate, in becoming fully acquainted with the job.

Miss Marjorie E. Ellison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Ellison of Webster Groves, became the bride Saturday of A/3c John E. Moll, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moll of Sikeston, in a double- ring ceremony performed at the Webster Groves Baptist Church by the Rev. Robert White.

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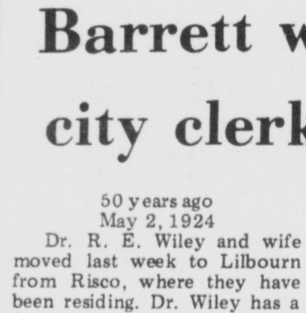
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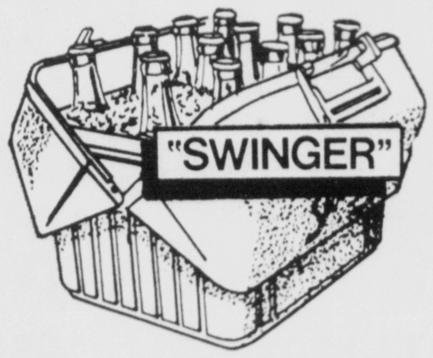
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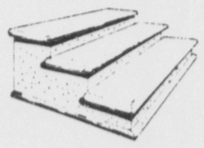
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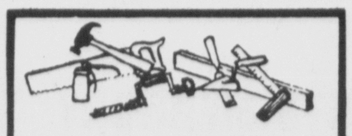
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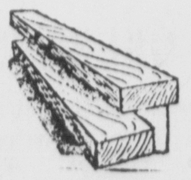
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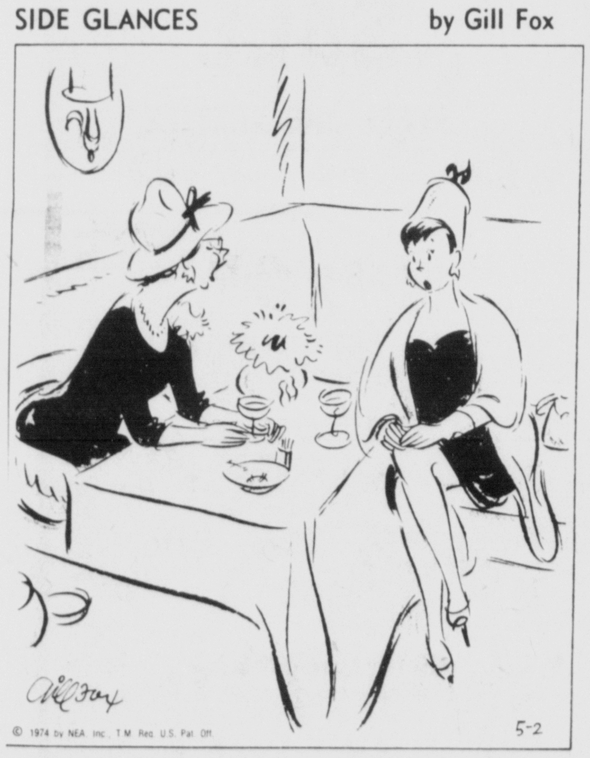

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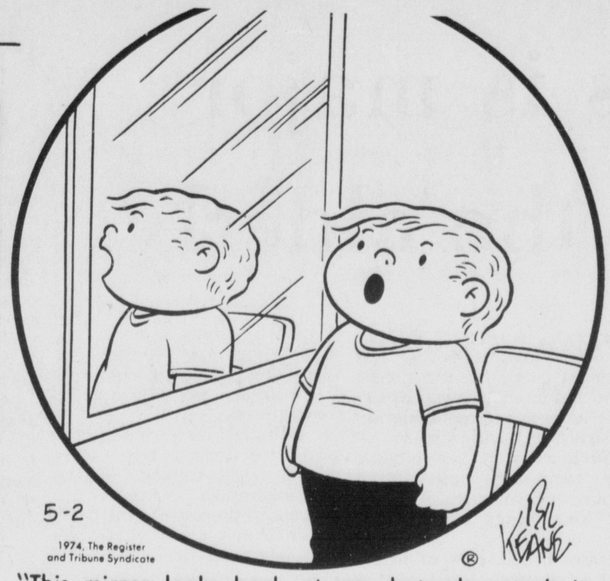

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54 Hail!
55 Deficiency
56 Scrooge's Christmas —,—
57 "Ben Hur" author Wallace

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1 Roman philosopher
2 Death notice
3 Book of Old Testament
4 Little
5 Aaron ——
English poet
6 With every effort (2 wds.)
7 Tiny
8 Decamp
9 Emanation
10 Check
11 Circle parts
17 Complained (slang)
19 Sea duck
23 Complications in a drama
24 Genus of frogs
25 Anthropoids
26 European finch
27 Two-sided
28 Baking chamber
29 Piquancy
31 Middle part
33 Become mature
38 "Road to Mandalay" building
40 Turn inside out
41 Wave top
42 Weatherman's word
43 Tyndareus' wife (myth.)
44 Shakespearean river
46 Greek war god
47 Wander
48 Fret (coll.)
50 Cleaning implement

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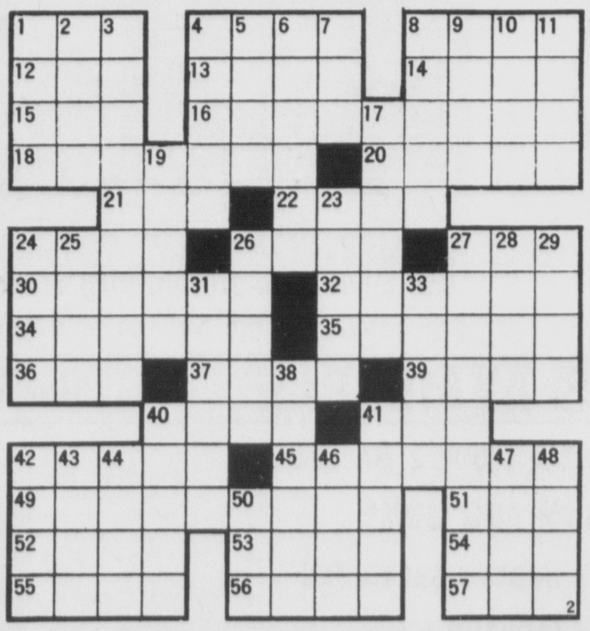

Today in U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, May 2, the 122nd day of 1974. There are 243 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1945, th Soviets announced the fall o Berlin in World War II, and the Western Allies announced the surrender of Nazi troops in Italy and parts of Austria.

On this date:

In 1670, the Hudson's Bay Company was chartered by England.

In 1863, the Confederate general, Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson, was mistaken for a Union scout and shot and fatally wounded by his own soldiers during the Civil War battle of Chancellorsville, Va.

In 1890, the Oklahoma Territory was oranized.

In 1933, Adolf Hitler abolished labor unions in Germany.

In 1960, Caryl Chessman was executed in San Quentin prison in California after eight stays of execution.

In 1966, there was rioting in Israel during a visit by former West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer.

Ten years ago: Communist terrorists blew a hole in an American aircraft transport ship tied up at Saigon, and the ship sank.

Five years ago: A German who had been a key backer of Hitler in 1933, Franz von Papen, died at the age of 89.

One year ago: Former Secretary of the Treasury and Texas Governor John Connally switched from the Democratic to the Republican party.

Today's birthdays: King Hussein of Jordan is 39 years old. Bing Crosby is 70.

Thought for today: Nothing is really work unless you rather would be doing something else—James Barrie, Scottish writer, 1860-1937.

They'll Do It Every Time

STEVE CANYON by Milton Canniff

CAPTAIN EASY by Crooks & Lawrence

PEANUTS by Schulz

MARY WORTH by Saunders and Ernst

THE PHAMTOM by Falk & Barry

ALLEY OOP by V.T. Hamlin

THE RYATTS by Jack Elrod

BEATLE BAILEY by Mort Walker

Washington Report

Rising prices is major problem for the elderly

WASHINGTON D.C. — The month of May has been designated to honor older Americans. It provides us with an opportunity to focus attention on the number one problem for most senior citizens -- inflation.

Latest government statistics reveal prices are increasing at the fastest rate in 25 years. For the entire first quarter of 1974, consumer prices increased at an annual rate of 14.5 pervent. Inflation was most severe in food and energy, with grocery prices up 18.3 percent and fuel and oil and coal rates up 57.7 percent in just one year.

These dramatic increases in the cost of living pose problems for all Americans, but they are most serious for those living on social security fixed pensions and retirement incomes.

The 18.3 percent increase is a bitter fact to retired persons who spend an average of 25 to 30 percent of their incomes on food. The average American family spends only 16 percent of its income for food.

In many instances, senior citizens have to spend up to 50 percent of their monthly incomes on housing, including rent and utilities. For most families, those costs represent only 25 percent of their spendable income. Medical and pharmaceutical expenses for the senior citizens also are well above average.

The Congress has taken several steps recently to relieve the economic pressures on the elderly. We approved a 7 percent raise in social security benefits which started in April and another 4 percent increase is scheduled for July. For those with seriously limited resources who must rely on the Federal Supplemental Security Income, monthly benefits are scheduled to increase in July from $140 to $146 for an individual and from $210 to $219 for a couple.

Legislation has been passed by both the House and Senate, H. R. 11739, to roll back unreasonable increases in propane gas prices which have created an unbearable squeeze for many elderly in rural and small town Missouri. As approved by the House- Senate conference committee, this Federal Energy Administration Act would limit propane prices to those of May 15, 1973 plus pass through of increased production- related costs.

Earlier this year I urged the Federal Energy Office Administrator to revise the regulations which had permitted exhorbitant propane price increases. This legislation is a significant achievement.

Such steps at best provide only temporary relief from inflationary pressures. We must find long- range solutions to the causes of continued increases in the cost of living.

An important step in that direction would be more careful expenditure of government funds.

The President's 1975 budget exceeds $300 billion. Deficits in the last five years have been the highest for any Administration in our history. If we continue on this course we will destroy our economy.

Congress is beginning to recognize its responsibility to help control Federal spending. The Congressional Budget Act, which would establish the kind of machinery needed to control expenditures, is now before the House- Senate conference committee. Earlier this year, the Senate took significant action by voting down the pay increase for Senators, Congressmen and other top government officials.

Additional steps can and should be taken. I have long urged that we redirect our increasingly limited resources from foreign aid to the needs here at home.

Although we now have the power to destroy any enemy which might attack us, the Administration continues to request unprecedented defense expenditures in what the President refers to as an era of peace.

For national security we need to maintain weapons systems strong enough to deter aggression, but national security also depends on a sound economy and the faith of the people in their government. Unnecessary military expenditures on weapons programs that are later scrapped harm the value of the dollar both here and abroad. Such expenditures can be reduced without weakening our military capability.

Wise, effective action to reduce unnecessary government spending will benefit all Americans, but especially those who have earned the right to enjoy their golden years, and at the same time help control the spiraling inflation, an effort vital for our national future.

Asian studios may turn in Karate chop for spirits

HONG KONG (AP) — The city that brought you Kung Fu is about to trade in the karate chop for spooks, spirits and the supernatural, Asian-style.

"We are not exactly following in the path of "The Exorcist," says an executive at Golden Harvest Studios, "but we think there are good supernatural subjects in Asia that would make good stories."

The executive, Shen Shan, a director of Hong Kong's second largest studio which gained prominence with such films as "Enter The Dragon" and "Five Fingers of Death," agreed with most industry watchers here that Kung Fu is on the wane.

"I would say that good Kung Fu pictures, like good Westerns, will go on and on," said Shan. "But the blind acceptance, the enthusiasm is over already."

The downfall of Kung Fu, he said, is due to overexposure.

"It happened in Italy, in Lebanon and the United States," said Shan. "Too many of the films were shown and the market became saturated. Now, they want Bruce Lee, but the other Kung Fu pictures have no where to go."

Lee, who died last year at 33, was the Kung Fu superstar. He left behind a completed picture, "The Way of the Dragon," to be released as "Return of the Dragon" in the United States.

Golden Harvest is trying to put an ending on Lee's unfinished film, "Game of Death," in production when he died. Susperstition has hampered its completion. With the eerie coincidence in the film's title, many Chinese actors want nothing more to do with it.

The occult and exorcism aren't news in Hong Kong. On a recent afternoon spiritualists and priests chanted incantations in a parking lot believed to be hexed by evil spirits. Local newspapers also reported the exorcism of a race track where "evil spirits" had tripped two horses severely injured in falls.

"A lot of film people are superstitious," said Shan. "But fortunately Raymond Chow is not."

Chow, 46, who broke away from the powerful Shaw Bros. studio four years ago to found Golden Harvest, is the crown prince of the Hong Kong movie empire. The debonaire Chow, a devotee of golf and fast cars, is the antithesis of his onetime boss, conservative movie czar Run Run Shaw. Some say Chow will eventually eclipse Shaw with his more modern approach to moviemaking.

"Golden Harvest is now half ex-Shaw people," said Shan who spoke for the studio in the absence of Chow, away on a movie project.

Last year Golden Harvest produced 14 movies, a far second to Shaw's 40. But profits of the two companies were closer, Shan said, and Chow is trying hard to narrow the gap further. "We figure we will be in the market this year and the year after with a better and better product," he said.

A key difference in the two companies, Shan concedes, is in facilities. Shaw's 43-acre mountaintop studio provides sufficient backgrounds for almost all his films. Chow, who has only a few sound stages and offices, films everything on location, usually in Korea or Taiwan. As Shan explained, "Shaw has a whole mountain. We have only half a mountain."

The Golden Harvest strategy for future growth appears dependent on spotting trends before they catch on. Thus, the plan for occult films plus a foray into the area of bizarre documentaries patterned after "Mondo Cane."

In both areas, censorship is likely to require different versions of the films for domestic and export distribution.

Writing helps fight lonliness

NEW YORK (AP) — Alan Alda has a system for fighting homesickness when he's in Los Angeles filming "M-A-S-H." He writes. But because of this system he'll have to work doubly hard this summer and next fall.

He now has a second CBS series to worry about. It's "We'll Get By," a half-hour comedy show coming up in September. Alda created it, has written six scripts for it and will be its co-producer.

Alda, who lives in suburban New Jersey with his wife and three kids when "M-A-S-H" isn't shooting, was at home with them, toiling at the typewriter, when asked how he found time to write the new show.

"Well, I'm out there (Hollywood) by myself," he said. "And because my family's back here in New Jersey, I keep myself busy with work so I don't get lonely. So I'd write at night and on weekends."

The new show isn't the first TV writing he's done. The Manhattan-born actor said he'd written two "M-A-S-H" scripts that were filmed and a pilot for another proposed series ABC turned down last year. The proposed series was about New York politics, Alda said.

Was it also a comedy?

"It would have to be, wouldn't it?" he asked.

"We'll Get By" has an unlikely premise for a comedy series. It's about a sales engineer, his wife and three children. Like Alda, they live in suburban New Jersey.

"There isn't anything about it that sounds like a funny idea, but I think that's one of its strong points," Alda said. "It's not a gimmick show.

"It's an attempt to show, with a sense of humor, people really living in a family. Which hasn't been done yet. There are no funny 'situations,' no cute kids with cute problems."

Alda, who is co-producing the show with Marc Merson, will supervise the script-writing. He'll head back to Los Angeles in mid-May to start production both on "M-A-S-H" and the new series.

DeMolay officers to be installed

DEXTER — Installation of new DeMolay officers will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Masonic Temple, 262 S. Walnut St.

Bryan Phillips will be installed as master councilor; Brian Besecker, senior councilor; and Dale Atchley as junior councilor. Seventeen appointed officers will also be installed.

A reception will follow the installation ceremonies, sponsored by the DeMolay Mother's Club.

Traffic is now so bad in once-isolated Lapland that herdsmen are fitting their reindeer with small reflectors which shine in headlight beams. More than 1,000 reindeer reportedly are killed by cars each year.

16 area students will graduate from ASU

JONESBORO, Ark.--- Sixteen students from the Sikeston area of Missouri are among 974 students, including 100 graduate students, who will graduate from Arkansas State University at the annual spring commencement exercises May 10 in Indian Field House.

Dr. Carl R. Reng, president of ASU, will confer degrees on the record graduating class.

Of the 974 candidates for degrees, 853 are from Arkansas, 78 from Missouri, 40 from 23 other states and three from foreign countries.

Candidates from the Sikeston area include:

Karen L. Woodall, F. Lee Beckman and Gale Robinson of Bernie; James R. Dooley of Delta; Jamie S. Lawrence of Gideon; Steven K. Howren, Anne Franklin, Charlotte A. Plunkett, Delores D. Plunkett and Calvin T. Ratliff III of Hayti; David L. Drake and Peggy L. Evans of Malden; Sara J. Nelson of Morley; Oda L. Scott of New Madrid; Ellen J. Mann of Parma and Anita S. Ray of Portageville.

LONG-BOARD DAYS

WASHINGTON (AP) — In a National Geographic article, Robert Laxalt writes of long-board days in the Lost Sierra. A major ingredient of speed skiing was "dope," as ski wax was called. One of the last of the long-board racers told Mr. Laxalt:

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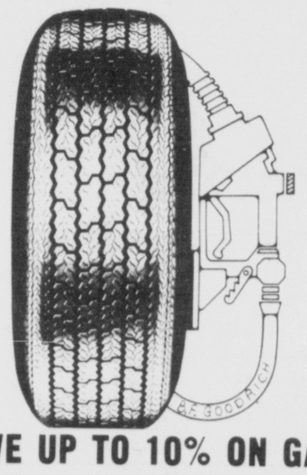

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